

AMERICA WILL MAKE VIGOROUS PROTEST TO CHINA; TEN THOUSAND SOLDIERS ARE ON BANDITS' TRAIL

AMERICANS ARE KIDNAPED FROM TRAIN SUNDAY

Miss Lucy Aldrich Held
Captive by Gang of
Desperate Thugs

SITUATION SERIOUS

Growth of Outlawry in
China Alarms Powers
Who May Act

Washington, May 7.—Official confirmation was received here today of the capture of nineteen foreigners, including some Americans by Chinese bandits in the province of Shantung, on Sunday. It is assumed that Miss Lucy Aldrich, sister of Mrs. John D. Rockefeller, Jr., is among the Americans taken.

A foreigner lost his life in the fighting that accompanied the train holdup. He has been identified as a British subject, named Rothman.

Confirmation of the bandit outrage came from Dr. Jacob Gould Schurman, American minister at Peking, who based his advice on the report of an American aboard the Peking-Shanghai express, and who escaped.

Minister Schurman described the situation growing out of the holdup and kidnapping as "serious."

While officials were inclined to await additional details today before commenting upon the outrage, it was readily conceded that a most serious situation has been brought about by this latest bandit coup, which took place in one of the most thickly populated sections of China.

It is a situation, admittedly, that may call for joint action on the part of the great powers to compel China to afford reasonable protection to the lives and properties of foreign residents in China. There are numerous precedents for such joint action on the part of the great powers, the most outstanding being in 1901, when the United States, Great Britain, France, Germany, Japan and Italy all sent troops into China in the Boxer uprising. While the present situation is not yet considered so grave as in 1901, conditions in China are nevertheless felt by officials of this government to be fast becoming intolerable.

A prompt and vigorous protest by the United States will be made as soon as sufficient facts are received to warrant it.

For its own nationals the American government will demand immediately of the Peking authorities their immediate release indemnification for losses and injuries incurred and formal apology accompanied by energetic governmental efforts to capture and suitably punish those responsible for the outrage.

The train was running between Pukow and Tientsin and the holdup occurred near Lincheng, in the province of Shantung. Several foreigners are reported to have been killed and a number of Chinamen wounded. Six foreigners and 23 Chinese escaped.

Miss Lucy Aldrich is a sister-in-law of John D. Rockefeller, Jr. She is understood to have been doing missionary or welfare work in China.

Miss Aldrich is a friend of Theodore Roosevelt, assistant secretary of the navy, and his wife, and is well remembered by many Washingtonians, who knew her during her father's service in the senate.

A marine detachment with two airplanes is stationed at Peking. It was indicated that the commandant at Peking would be asked for an immediate report looking to a possible expedition in the event the bandits are not immediately chased and apprehended by the Chinese authorities. The navy and the war departments had received no report on the case.

The situation around Peking is so chaotic that it is practically beyond the control of the north China government. Many bands have sprung up. In the same general locality several months ago at the Kalgan gate of the Chinese wall, Charles Colman, an American merchant, was shot dead by a detail of soldiers when he tried to transport some silver out of the country in an automobile. He fell while in company with the American consul general.

An apology and damages for Colman's family were demanded by the state department. After a long wait the Chinese government acceded. News of an apology from General Chang Hsi-Yuan was received here. Several American destroyers are now in Chinese waters. A part of them recently were sent to Hankow from Shanghai to guard American interests jeopardized by a clash between troops of Dr. Sun Yat Sen and irregulars of south China.

Arrest Former Student In Inquiry into Death

Akron, O., May 7.—Akron detectives today arrested Joseph Allan Mills, in connection with the grand jury investigation of the class rush at Northwestern University in 1921, which is believed to have resulted in the death of Leighton Mount, whose body recently was found beneath a pier at Evanston.

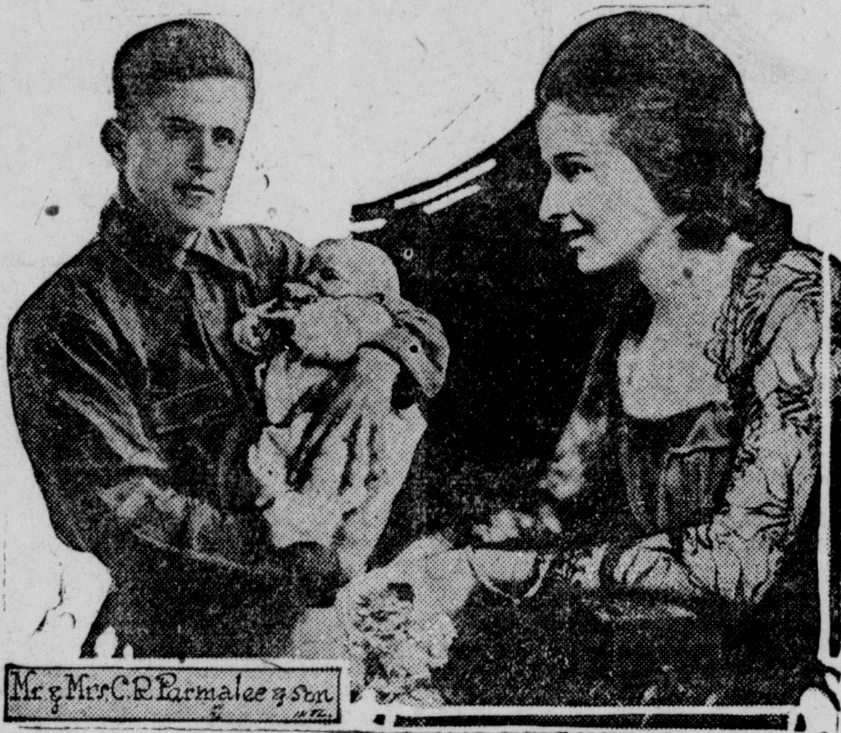
A tip to police led to locating Mills, who is employed by the Goodrich Rubber Company, here. He is

said to have tried to keep his whereabouts a secret.

Mills was calm when arrested and immediately asked for something to eat. Questioned by Harry Welch, chief of detectives, Mills admitted having been a sophomore in the college at the time Mount disappeared and of taking part in the class rush and subsequent investigation.

"You can send me to Chicago," he declared, "and send a dozen men along or let me go alone. I'll come back anyway."

THINK FATHER STOLE OWN CHILD



Airmen of three countries are searching for four-year-old Charles R. Parmalee, Jr., who was kidnapped from a children's home in Mexico City by a band of masked thugs. Charles R. Parmalee, father of the boy, had made three previous efforts to seize the child and is being sought in the belief he has obtained the boy.

Mrs. Esther Black Parmalee, wife, is suing for divorce, each asking the custody of the child. Parmalee, who served with distinction as an aviator in the World War, is a member of a prominent Chicago family, while his wife is the daughter of a Dallas (Texas) banker.

FIRE CAUSES \$150,000 LOSS IN FINDLAY, OHIO

Seven Persons Trapped On Second and Third Stories
of Building Are Rescued By Firemen
Early Monday.

Findlay, O., May 7.—Fire of undetermined origin early today damaged the Kerr block here to the extent of \$150,000. Seven persons, sleeping on the second and third floors were rescued by firemen who helped them down ladders to safety. They were: Mrs. J. H. Andreas and her three children and Mr. and Mrs. George B. Crane and son, James.

The building is located in the heart of the business district and for a while it was feared the blaze would spread and endanger the entire heart of the city. However firemen aided by volunteers, brought it under control.

The Woolworth Five and Ten Cent Store and Mack Shoupe Shoe Store were the heaviest losers, their losses

probably exceeding \$50,000 each. The United Underwear Store, located in an adjoining building, suffered a heavy loss, also mostly from water.

The building located in a corner, was damaged to the extent of probably \$50,000.

The fire, it is believed, started in the Andreas kitchen on the third floor. Mrs. Andreas had been bedfast for the past month and her rescue was attended with thrills.

FIRE ALLEGED TO BE INCENDIARY IS FATAL TO ONE MAN

Two Are Probably Fatally
Injured in Chicago
Blaze.

Chicago, May 7.—On man was burned to death, two other men probably fatally burned and two more seriously burned in a fire believed to have been incendiary which early today destroyed a two story frame rooming house at Gary, Illinois, Chicago suburb. The police believe the fire may have been started to hide a murder.

The man known to be dead has not been identified as his body has not yet been recovered. It was exposed to view by the collapse of a wall.

Police officers said they could observe a great gash in the back of the man's head, unexplained since there are no fallen timbers near the body. The ruins were so hot that it was impossible to remove the body.

The two men reported dying, are Joseph Fasut and "Red" Dosen. Fasut was trapped on the second floor, severely burned, and jumped from a window.

Police placed under arrest a man who had been discovered fleeing from the house. He gave his name as Peter Kozak, 35, said to have been a boarder at the house. Kozak, according to Captain of Police Plummer, could give no satisfactory explanation of his reasons for fleeing from the burning building without making any effort to arouse its 24 other occupants.

FRANCE PLACES DEBT ISSUE UP TO THIS NATION

Refuses to Scale Down Germany's Indemnity Unless U. S. Acts.

WANTS ALLIES AIDED

Note Declares America
Must First Cut Down
Money Due Her

Washington, May 7.—The French refusal to scale down Germany's reparations—except on condition that the United States scale down the debt owing her by the allied powers—was delivered to the State Department here today for "the information and guidance" of the United States.

Officials after examining the Poincare note, contented themselves with saying that the French note called for no response from this government.

Inquiries concerning that part of M. Poincare's note which dealt with a positive cancellation of European indebtedness to the United States elicited only lifted eyebrows and amused smiles in official quarters.

"There apparently is only one string to the European harp," said one administration official. "That is cancellation of the indebtedness—and, twang it goes."

It was apparent that M. Poincare's suggestion failed to arouse sufficient interest on the part of administration officials to move them even to make reply or comment on it. The attitude of this government has been firmly fixed on the question of international indebtedness. It was said, and under no conceivable circumstances will there be any departure from the policy that reparations and money borrowed in the war have absolutely no relationships so far as the United States is concerned.

It was again emphasized that this government considers reparations to be primarily a European question and one that the United States is interested in only to the extent that it affects the general business and well being of the world. The question of war-time indebtedness is one that concerns the United States and the individual nations owing us, and is no part or parcel of the general European economic confusion.

In some quarters there was a disposition to look upon M. Poincare's note as another attempt to enlist the support of Germany in the general European scheme of writing off war debts as a scheme which would leave the United States the sole loser.

It was recalled that the first official suggestion in this respect came from the pen of Arthur James Balfour, nearly a year ago. It met with a cold reception in Washington. Apparently, officials said, Europe is traveling in a circle on reparations, and in the last year, M. Poincare has traveled around to arrive at the same point. Mr. Balfour was a year ago—that if America will cancel the billions owed her, by European governments, then the allies may be able to do something for Germany.

COURSE IN CHURCH BUSINESS OFFERED

Columbus, O., May 7.—"A course in business administration of church affairs" is to be given at the Ohio State University summer school for pastors, under the auspices of the Ohio Council of Churches, from June 12 to July 5. Dr. Warren H. Wilson, director of church and country life work of the Presbyterian Board of Home Missions, and professor of rural psychology in Columbia University, will teach the course.

PADLOCK PROVISIONS INVOKED.

Cleveland, May 7.—Federal Judge Westenhaver granted temporary injunctions invoking the "padlock" provisions of the national prohibition laws against five liquor law violators as a result of bills of complaint filed by United States District Attorney Bernstein, asking that their places of business be closed on the ground that they were a "public nuisance."

CHARGE AGAINST BANK CLERK.

Cleveland, May 7.—W. A. Petre, 22, clerk in a branch of the Cleveland Trust company, admitted, bank officials state, that he took approximately \$42,000 from the bank vault, and hid the money beneath the garage at his uncle's home. The money was recovered. Petre was the hero in an attempted hold up the Bedford branch of the same institution in October, 1920, when he engaged several bandits.

MARKET IN PANIC AS SPURIOUS CHECKS ARE THROWN ON "STREET"

Amazing Attempt to Perpetrate Gigantic Fraud Shoots
Prices Up and Down—Seek to Locate
Schemers.

New York, May 7.—An amazing and almost unprecedented attempt to perpetrate a gigantic fraud on Wall Street, threw the market into a panic today, shot prices up and down in a zig-zaggy fashion and resulted in immediate action on the part of the American Bankers' Association to run down the men behind the scheme.

It was a brand new fraud and by its extreme daring virtually took the brokers in the "street" off their feet. It was in the form of an avalanche of

spurious checks, all arriving at the same time, and carrying the order to "buy."

The checks came from many cities in the East. At the same time, according to information here checks were sent to brokers in the Philadelphia stock exchange.

Brokers, on receiving the checks, accepted them as bona fide. Immediately a buying movement was under way. Prices shot up.

Suddenly the wildest excitement took place. Traders learned the checks were spurious. Hasty orders to counteract the buying orders were sent forth. Values immediately broke. The market was in a turmoil. Steel Corporation, one of the leading stocks in the market, dropped to a new low for the year. News of the "fake check" fraud was immediately sent to the American Bankers' Association. Fifteen investigators were put to work at once.

Investigators revealed that the fake letters and checks came from many cities. The letters were all on the same kind of paper. They had all been mailed Saturday afternoon apparently timed to arrive shortly after the opening of the market today.

They came from the following, among other cities: Harrisburg, York, Allentown, Bethlehem and Reading, Pa.; Amsterdam, Schenectady and Utica, N. Y.; North Adams and Pittsfield, Mass., and from towns and cities in other states.

Shortly after the discovery of the attempted hoax on Wall Street, the brokers brought in the news that members of the Philadelphia Stock Exchange had received similar checks and communications. The exchange, after sent out, officially, a warning to brokers calling attention to the fraud.

About thirty New York brokerage houses turned their letters and fake checks over to the stock exchange authorities, who immediately began an investigation.

NURSE TAKES GIRL FROM BANDIT GANG



Mrs. Starr, 35 years old, is the British nurse attached to the Peshawar Medical Mission, in India, who went gallantly across the wild, mountainous country of Afrid, in the farthest western portion of India, to rescue Miss Mollie Ellis, daughter of a British army officer, who had been kidnapped by Afrid tribesmen who had killed her mother. Both returned unscathed.

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SENATOR FESS WILL SPEAK AT MEETING HONORING SHERMAN

Mansfield to Celebrate
Hundredth Anniversary
of His Birth

Mansfield, O., May 7.—With Postmaster General Harry S. New, Senator Frank B. Willis and Simeon D. Fess, Representatives Theodore Burton, William M. Morgan and John I. Cable and Colonel Ralph D. Cole as speakers, Mansfield will honor the memory of the late Senator John Sherman, Thursday on the hundredth anniversary of his birth.

The program will conclude in the evening with a dinner meeting at the Elks' auditorium, where Postmaster General New will deliver the principal address. In the afternoon, New and Senator Willis will speak to ten thousand Richland County school children at a mass meeting in the public square. Memorial exercises will be held also in the afternoon at the Sherman grave, where addresses will be made by Colonel Cole and Edwin G. Slough, of Mansfield. The Grand Army of the Republic will also have services at the cemetery.

The Sherman memorial event is being sponsored by the Richland County Republican Club.

LIGHTING PLANT EXPLODES.

Gallipolis, O., May 7.—Neal Rothgeb, 16, son of Postmaster Nathan Rothgeb of Cheshire, this county, was instantly killed when the lighting plant in the postoffice building exploded, while it was being tested.

KICKED BY HORSE.

Columbus, May 7.—Paul Culp, 10, suffered a fractured skull as result of being kicked near his left ear by a horse.

SEEK WRECKERS OF TRAIN AND 300 CAPTIVES

Number of Desperadoes
Increased From 1,000
to 8,000.

FOREIGNERS TAKEN

Robbers Derail Train and
Surround Occupants
On Sunday

Shanghai, May 7.—Ten thousand Chinese troops today were in pursuit of the bandit army which derailed the Shanghai Peking express capturing 17 Americans and 12 other foreigners including subjects of England, France and Italy, on Sunday.

The bandit army had increased from the estimated 1,000 who wrecked the train and captured its passengers to 8,000, having been strengthened by additions of well-armed disbanded troops and notorious bandits. Of the 300 passengers aboard the express train—one of China's crack trains—only six foreigners and 2 Chinese, escaped the bandit holdup which surrounded the train as it left the tracks at a point in Shantung province selected by the bandit chieftains for the hold up.

Despite reports of the release of Miss Aldrich, no direct word has yet been received here from her. She is on a tour around the world from New York via India and had visited here for ten days. She had intended going to Peking, Japan and then to Europe.

Despite the ultimatum of the bandits that the captives would be killed unless pursuit was abandoned, a great army has been gathered from four provinces to take part in the chase.

The Americans aboard the train included in addition to Miss Aldrich, Robert Scripps, American newspaper publisher, touring the Orient; Major Charles Bridge; a party of three by the name of Pratt; a Mr. Carpenter; Lloyd Lehrbas, former American newspaperman of Chicago; and J. B. Powell, former professor of journalism at the University of Missouri, now a correspondent in China.

A relief train has been rushed from Tien Tsin and advices from Peking today stated that American ambassador Jacob Gould Schurman had left there for Shantung province to investigate the affair.

French, Italian and English consular officials have departed from here to the scene of the holdup in Shantung province.

The bandits with their captives are believed to be fleeing for Tushan Hu Lake, a wild rendezvous of outlaws, located in the mountains of South Shantung.

The bandit army which derailed the express train near Hsu Chow Fu Sunday morning, killing one foreigner and wounding six Chinese was made up of discharged Anhwee troops.

JUDGE SCORES DRY AGENTS IN CASE

Marion, O., May 7.—Scoring the dry prosecution for taking up the time of the court for bringing before him cases, "unsupported by a scintilla of evidence looking to conviction," Judge Grant E. Mouser, in Common Pleas Court Saturday dismissed Peter Mounts and Earl Winslow, charged with violating the liquor law.

L. J. Brooks, state prohibition officer, who caused their arrests, admitted that he had been drinking and witnesses went so far as to testify that Brooks was inebriated.

WOMAN DIES AFTER SHE IS BADLY BURNED

Columbus, May 7.—Mrs. Marie Hergel, 70, died in a hospital here today from burns she received when her home caught fire late last night, following an explosion caused by escaping gas.

Frank Peak, a neighbor, was also burned about the feet and body while attempting to put out the flames. His cries for help brought Patrolman A. A. Gaulke to the scene. The patrolman saved the aged Mrs. Hergel from probably burning to death by dragging her from her bed, which was also on fire out through a window and onto a porch.

SAYS STILL IN OHIO IS EXTINGUISH.

Columbus, May 7.—According to State Director of Prohibition B. F. McDonald, arrests for violations of the liquor laws turned approximately \$175,999 into the public coffers of various counties, municipalities and townships in Ohio during April. His report shows 877 arrests with 433 convictions. More than \$500,000 was collected between Jan 1 and May 1, he said. Enforcement officers say the still is practically extinct in Ohio.

ANNIVERSARY SALE

1863

1923

60 YEARS of PROGRESS

"SIXTY years of growth and planning for bigger and better things!"

Sixty years of the kind of service that makes friends and holds them

Our 60th Anniversary Sale
Not only a great purchasing event
but a great merchandising accomplishment.



1870



1880



1890

This Sale, with the great value giving opportunities afforded, marks the 60th year of our steadily increasing progress in business in this community.

Starting out on a small, but firm scale, it has been our earnest endeavor, as we have enlarged from time to time, to not only maintain



1920



1910



1900

our high standards in every way, but to keep abreast of the times in every possible channel, in merchandising, in selling, and in service.

SIXTY years of fair dealing that has made our name a household synonym for quality and reliability. A store that has served four generations loyally and intelligently and has inevitably become a part of the community!

IT HAS become an institution, enduring because it is in the forefront of every worthy movement, justly proud of its three-score years of business.

A BIRTHDAY is a fitting occasion for strengthening old friendships and forming new ones. Our Sixtieth Anniversary finds us even more able than in previous years to give you the extraordinary values for which our sales are famous."

The above is an announcement of the Sixtieth Anniversary Sale of the H. & S. POGUE CO., of Cincinnati, Ohio, who are also celebrating their 60 years of Progress, this month

We feel that our store and merchandise form a connection to Xenia and vicinity analogous to the great House of Pogue to its community, and we can also feel justly proud of our achievements, of our friendships of the older generations, of our fine patronage of the present day

60th Anniversary Sale

May 10th to May 19th

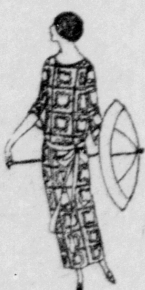
Exceptional offerings that will make this Sale unique, will be announced from day to day thro the columns of the press

The **Hutchison & Gibney** Company
ESTABLISHED 1863
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ANNIVERSARY
Sale of

SUITS COATS
DRESSES CAPES
BLOUSES SKIRTS
HOUSE DRESSES
BUNG'LOO APRONS
SWEAT'S, SCARF'S
KNIT UNDERWEAR
MUSLIN UN'DRW'R
PHILIP'INE U'DW'R
SILK LINGERIE
REGULAR AND
STOUT CORSETS
BOYS CLOTHING
INFANT'S WEAR



60th

ANNIVERSARY
Sale of

WOOL AND SILK
DRESS GOODS
WASH FABRICS
BED LINENS
GLOVES, HOSIERY
GINT'HS, P'RCLES
LONGCLOTHS
MUSLINS
JEWELRY, NOTIONS
TOILET GOODS
ART GOODS, LAMPS
FLOOR COVERINGS
CURTAINS
DRAPERIES
CHINA, GLAS'WARE
STOVES
REFRIGERATORS



Personal and Society

THE NICEST courtesy you can show your guests is to have their visits mentioned on this page. The nicest courtesy you can show your friends is to let them learn of your visit through this page whenever you go away. The Gazette and Republican consider it a courtesy whenever you turn in an item of any kind. PHONE 70.

LUNCHEON PARTY AT KELLY HOME SATURDAY.

A profusion of fragrant spring blossoms artistically arranged throughout the rooms, formed lovely decorations, redolent of the spirit of spring-time, at the luncheon given Saturday at one o'clock by Mrs. Rachel Kelly at her home on North King Street. Masses of red-bud, dog-wood, apple blossoms and the yellow kerry were effectively used.

In the receiving line with Mrs. Kelly were three visitors who were warmly welcomed by the guests, Mrs. LeRoy Tebbis, of New York, Mrs. Kelly's house guest, Mrs. Anne Danforth, of Chicago, and Mrs. William Kenyon, of New York.

A delicious three-course luncheon was served, the place cards being in the form of May-baskets. Places were laid for thirty-four.

Following the luncheon, bridge and five hundred were enjoyed. The affair was, in every detail, one of the most beautiful and enjoyable social events of the spring season.

FESS-DIVEN WEDDING SOLEMNIZED MONDAY

The marriage of Miss Mildred Diven, of Springfield, and Mr. Charles Summer Fess, son of Senator and Mrs. S. D. Fess of Yellow Springs, was solemnized in Springfield, Monday morning at 10 o'clock, at the parsonage of the Central M. E. Church, the Rev. Mr. Houston, officiating.

The service was very simple, only members of the two immediate families witnessing the ceremony. Mrs. Cheetham, of Cincinnati, sister of the bride, was matron of honor, and Mr. Lowell Fess, brother of the bridegroom, acted as best man. The bride's costume was of grey crepe, and she carried bride's roses. Mrs. Cheetham wore black lace. Miss Diven, sister of the bride, and Senator and Mrs. Fess were the only other witnesses.

Mr. and Mrs. Fess left immediately on their honeymoon trip, and on their return will reside at 1523 Paris road, Springfield.

ISSUE DANCE INVITATIONS.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Bryant have issued invitations for a dance to be given by them at the Elks' Lodge Hall, Tuesday evening, May 15th.

Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Kelley of South Galloway Street, are moving Tuesday from the Dines Apartments to the Apartment vacated by Mr. and Mrs. John A. Beatty, in the Lillian Block.

Mrs. Austin Patterson will entertain the members of the Travel Club at her home on North King Street Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Caleb Osborn and family, of South Vienna, Ohio, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Tullis, of West Third Street.

Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Anderson, of Winchester, Virginia, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Yeakley of South Chestnut Street. Mr. and Mrs. Anderson are enjoying their honeymoon trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Whitmer, Mrs. Nelle Schuster, Misses Helen Boyd and Bertha Gardner drove to Columbus Sunday where they spent the day with friends. Mr. and Mrs. Whitmer and Miss Gardner spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Hart and Miss Boyd and Mrs. Schuster were with Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Dillon.

Professor and Mrs. William Johnston, Miss Cyrena Johnson of Cincinnati and Messrs. James Herr and Harold Rhodes of Middletown, were the guests over the week-end of Mr. and Mrs. Karl Keller of Hill Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Coates of South Miami Street, are announcing the birth of a son, born Monday morning. He has been named Lawrence, Junior.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Beatty moved Monday from their residence on South Galloway Street, to the property of Mr. John McClain on North Detroit Street.

Mrs. Mable Dinwiddie, and daughter, Miss Martha, and son, Rue, of Dayton, were Sunday guests of Mrs. Dorothy Dinwiddie, and family of South Galloway Street.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Golden, Mrs. W. H. Tatean of Cincinnati, Mr. John A. North, and Mrs. W. E. Eavey, have returned from the Reserve, where they spent several days.

Mrs. Sarah Fifer of East Second Street, returned home Saturday from Florida, where she spent the winter.

Dr. and Mrs. N. T. Pavey and family, and Dr. and Mrs. A. B. Kester, attended the funeral services for Mrs. Kester's and Dr. Pavey's grandmother Mrs. G. W. Smith, of Leesburg, Ohio, held at Leesburg Sunday.

Mrs. Fred R. Keeler, of East Market Street, returned to this city Saturday, from Hillsboro, Ohio, where she spent the past several weeks with relatives.

Mrs. Dudley Creed, Mrs. P. D. Whitacre and Mr. John Whitacre of Lynchburg, Ohio, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Allen McClain of West Main Street, Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Meredith, of North King Street, has as her guest, Mrs. Anne Danforth, who is connected with the Eleanor Camp, in Chicago.

Mrs. LeRoy Tebbis, of New York City arrived in this city Friday and is the guest of Mrs. Rachel Kelly of North King Street.

Mrs. M. Daniels and daughter, Miss Josephine, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Mullen and family, of East Second Street.

Mrs. Adeline Nordyke, of Blanche, is the guest of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Tullis, of West Third Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Gail Chambliss and daughter, Marion, and Miss Jean Chambliss, of Cincinnati, were weekend guests of Mrs. S. G. Chambliss, of West Third Street.

Mrs. Ella Nisonger, who has been nursing in Wilmington, for the past several weeks, has returned to this city, and has rented the property of D. E. Spahr, on East Main Street, and will remove there during the coming week.

Mr. Ralph Chambliss has returned from Sulphur Lick Springs, Ohio, where he spent several days.

Mrs. Thomas Fitzsimmons of Cincinnati avenue, was the guest over the week-end of her daughter, Miss Helen, who is a student at Good Samaritan Hospital, Cincinnati. She also visited other relatives in that city.

Miss Lois Benbow, student at Ohio Wesleyan University, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Benbow of North Galloway Street.

Miss Meda Elliott, of Springfield, was the week-end guest of Miss Olive H. Huston, of North Detroit Street.

Mr. and Mrs. John Shadrach, and Miss Gladys Shadrach spent Sunday in Dayton, as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Shadrach and family. Little Jeanne Shadrach accompanied them home for a visit.

Mr. Abraham Lovell of Sandusky, Ohio, spent Saturday with friends in this city. Mr. Lovell was recently discharged from the Marine Corps, where he served four years.

Messrs J. W. Devilbiss, of Arkana, Ohio, and George Devilbiss of the Stevenson road, spent the week-end at the home of Clarence Devilbiss, near Spring Valley.

Mrs. Paul Haulders of Marshall, Michigan, and Mrs. John Collar, of Battlecreek, Michigan, returned home Monday after spending four weeks with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Snodgrass of North Galloway Street.

Mr. Raymond Snodgrass returned to Denison University, Monday after spending the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Snodgrass. He is recovering from a dislocated ankle, received a week ago, in a college baseball game.

"Neighbors," a clever playlet by Zona Gale, will be given by the members of the Junior Woman's Club, at the home of Mrs. Mildred Prugh, Tuesday afternoon. The occasion will be the annual social meeting of the club, and is being anticipated by the members.

Isadore Hyman, student at the Ohio State University spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Hyman of East Market Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Ward M. Huston, of West Church Street, spent Sunday with friends in Springfield.

Mrs. E. S. Myers and son, Frank, returned home Sunday from Columbus, where they had spent a week with Mrs. Myers' parents, Judge and Mrs. Frank Rathmell.

Mr. John M. Davison, left Monday for New York City, on business.

Miss Marjorie Clark, has accepted a position at the Jobe Brothers Store.

Mr. and Mrs. George R. Kelly, of West Second Street, are spending several days at French Lick Springs, Indiana.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Kennedy, of North Collier Street, spent Sunday with relatives in East Monroe, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Curtis, of North Collier Street, spent Sunday as the guests of Mr. Curtis's relatives in Sabina, Ohio.

Mrs. J. G. Mitchell, of North Collier Street, returned home Monday from Columbus, where she was called last week by the illness of her daughter Mrs. C. T. Legg, who has now recovered.

Mrs. M. G. Jerrow, and three daughters, of Enon Valley, Pennsylvania, who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Bales, of West Third Street, for the past three weeks, returned to the East Monday.

Mr. Ralph Dillon, who took over the work of his father Mr. J. W. Dillon, of Columbus, who was severely injured four months ago, was in the city Monday on business. His father is much improved but it will be some time before he will be able to resume his work.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Miller and Miss Marie Elam left Monday morning for Russell's Point where they will spend two or three days on a fishing trip. They were accompanied as far as Huntsville by Miss Maud Voris who will visit with friends there.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Van Burger and family, and Mr. and Mrs. James Hull, of Dayton, spent the week-end in this city as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Vinton Hull, of Elm Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Asa Price and family, of North West Street, went to Frankfort Sunday where they were present at a birthday dinner given in celebration of the seventy-third birthday of Mr. Price's mother, Mrs. Alfred Price.

Rev. Ghas. P. Proudft left Monday morning for Chicago where he will be in attendance Tuesday at the meeting of the Board of Education of the United Presbyterian Church, and from there will go to St. Louis where he will present at the meeting of the Board of Managers of the Xenia Theological Seminary which will be held in connection with the commencement exercises. He expects to return home the last of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Miller, who have been living at the phosphate farm on R. R. No. 8, moved Monday to a farm on R. R. No. 17 out of Dayton where they will make their future home.

Bruce Ferguson, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ferguson of the Clifton pike, who has been quite ill for the last two weeks suffering from heart trouble, is now convalescing nicely.

DELEGATES RETURN FROM MEETING OF NAZARENE CHURCH

Delegates from the local Church of the Nazarene have returned from the annual assembly of the district which convened at Dayton, from last Tuesday to Sunday. The local delegates were Miss Cenia Green, Charles Hupman, and Lewis F. Drake. The sessions were held at the Central Reformed Church, Dayton, about 250 delegates registering during the series of meetings.

The Rev. Frank Watkin, pastor of the local Church of the Nazarene was elected secretary of the Board of Examiners of the Ohio district, which includes only the western part of Ohio, during the session. Delegates at the Dayton meeting voted to hold the mid-year preachers' meeting at Xenia next December, when Dr. R. T. Williams, of Kansas City, Missouri, is expected to preside. The meeting will bring about 75 ministers of the Nazarene Church to Xenia.

Carl Leach of the local church was elected to the annual assembly as member of the Advisory Board of the Ohio District at the meeting last week, while Mrs. B. H. Bottorff was elected alternate to the General Assembly, of the Church of the Nazarene, at Kansas City, next September. The Rev. Mr. Watkin was elected alternate to the Kansas City meeting, from the ministerial body the delegates being chosen from other cities.

The following were elected as members of the Board of the local church recently: Mrs. Charles Hupman, Mrs. George Sutton, Mrs. J. M. Parks, Mrs. B. H. Bottorff, secretary, Mrs. William Freeland, Mrs. J. Houk, Mrs. H. L. Anderson, George Honaner, Lloyd Morgan, Carl Leach treasurer, Bert Dymond, and F. E. Way. The following were elected as trustees: George Sutton, J. M. Parks, Lewis F. Drake, Charles Hupman and H. L. Anderson.

The Rev. H. W. Welsh, of Franklin, Ohio, has been elected district evangelist, and will make Xenia his home. He expects to move to Xenia within the next month.

The Rev. C. R. Chilton, District Superintendent of the Church of the Nazarene, presided at the Dayton meeting, the program including a report of the accomplishments of the local church in the past year. The last twelve months have been the best in the history of the local church, according to the Rev. Mr. Watkin. Four revivals have been held during which scores have been converted.

There has been a net increase of 20 in membership, making the total enrollment to date of 49. At the Wednesday and Friday evening prayer meetings, there has been an average of 35 present. The Sunday School has grown from 35 to 75 members in the past year.

Six thousand dollars and seventy-six cents have passed through the treasury, which includes funds raised for all purposes. The Rev. Mr. Watkin made 500 pastoral calls.

NAMES RECEIVER

Dayton, May 7.—Attorney Earl H. Turner was named receiver of The Davis Sewing Machine Company, a Delaware corporation with its principal place of business in Dayton, in an order handed down by Federal Judge John E. Sater, in Dayton today. His bond was fixed at \$100,000.

Appointment of a receiver followed the filing of a creditor's bill by The Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing Company, East Pittsburgh, Pa., claiming an account due exceeding \$3,000,000 to the Westinghouse and other Companies. Approximately \$2,400,000 is indebtedness on mortgage bonds and approximately \$600,000 represent current liabilities to come due within the next 30 days.

The company has an authorized capital stock of \$10,000,000 in preferred stock and 150,000 shares of common stock. The receivership is an operating receivership and the court order provides that business shall be continued without interruption. All employees will be retained.

EMBEZZLEMENT CHARGED. Bellefontaine, O., May 7.—D. D. Simons, who operates collection agencies in Lima, Springfield and Bellefontaine, was convicted on a charge of embezzlement here. An indictment charged Simons wrongfully retained funds collected from Bellefontaine merchants.

TO HONOR O'CONNOR. London, May 7.—All parties in the house of commons have decided to honor T. P. O'Connor in recognition of his forty-three years of service as an Irish nationalist member. A luncheon will be given on May 15, which will be attended by scores of members of the house of lords.

LODGE AND BUSINESS NOTICES

Get it at Donges.

Scion of Wealth Enters Movies



Park Benjamin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Romain Benjamin, of New York, and first cousin to Mrs. Enrico Caruso, is the latest scion of society and wealth to become obsessed with the idea that he is a good film actor. He has deserted the banking business for the screen.

STABS WOMAN IN THEATER—JEALOUSY GIVEN AS MOTIVE

Audience Joins in Hunt for Knife Wielder—Girl Will Recover

Covington, Ky., May 7.—While a thrilling plot depicted on the silver sheet at the Rialto Theatre, Madison avenue, last night, held the attention of the spectators in the darkened house a drama of real life was being unfolded among them, with heroine, villain and the inevitable pursuit.

At the piano sat Mrs. Marie Pruett, 25, residing at 3086 Henshaw avenue, Cincinnati. As she played softly, a man crept stealthily down the aisle toward her. Reaching the front of the house he drew a knife and attempted to stab her in the heart.

The pianist screamed and blocked the thrust with her arm, then leaped from her seat to the stage. Blood trickled from her arm as she vanished into the files, the man close behind her.

When the dazed spectators were able to think and the manager had turned on the lights, a crowd of men started to catch the stranger. Mrs. Pruett was taken to St. Elizabeth's Hospital. Two hours later police arrested, two blocks away, a man answering the description received of the pianist's assailant.

At headquarters he gave his name as George Pruett, 34, husband of the stabbed woman. A knife was in his pocket. He was held on a charge of having out with intent to kill. Jealously is said to explain the case.

FINED ON CHARGE OF VIOLATING LAW

John Landak, convicted of violating the liquor laws was fined \$900 and costs by Magistrate J. E. Jones at his hearing early Monday morning. Landak and his father, Conrad Landak, were arrested at the former's chicken farm on the Kemp Road Beaver Creek Township, near the Montgomery County line Friday night by Sheriff Morris Sharp and Deputies John Baugh and George Spencer.

The charge against Conrad Landak was dismissed on evidence showing that he did not make his home at the farm and had no interest in a 750 gallon still which authorities say was found in the cellar of his son's home.

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COURT NEWS

TWO SEEK DIVORCES.

Two new applications for divorce are on file with Clerk of Courts Harvey Elam. Charles McKinney is seeking a separation from Myrtle McKinney, whom he married April 17, 1920, on a charge of wilful absence for more than three years.

Raymond Williams was convicted of forgery in the Common Pleas Court of Sangamon County, Illinois, in the October, 1917, term and is now serving a one to 14 year sentence in the Illinois State Penitentiary, according to Marie Williams in her petition for divorce. They were married May 29, 1916. The plaintiff wants restoration to her maiden name.

PLAINTIFF GETS JUDGMENT.

The D. L. Carpenter Company has been awarded a judgment amounting to \$295.10 on two promissory notes against G. W. Craig, doing business as The Craig Auto Top and Luggage Shop, in Common Pleas Court. Miller and Finney were attorneys for the plaintiff and L. T. Marshall entered appearance for the defendant and confessed the judgment.

WIFE GETS DIVORCE.

Cora G. Hamilton has been awarded a divorce decree in Common Pleas Court from Ray Hamilton on a charge of gross neglect of duty.

JUDGMENT IS ALLOWED.

The Dayton Power and Light Company has been awarded a judgment in the sum of \$1,380, plus interest, making a total of \$1,734.80 against The Village of Osborn, on a bill for service for one year.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Clarence B. McDonnell 7217 Euclid Ave., Cleveland, student, and Hattie Butler, Wilberforce.

Stanley Edwards, Jamestown carpenter, and Thelma Faulkner, Paintersville.

License was refused Jesse Lee Leavelle, 128 Spring St., Columbus, and Katie Belle Davis, 618 Oakwood Ave., Columbus because of non-residence.

ed a vocal duet by Laura Copsey and Florence Hartsock. A selection was given by a male quartette, followed by the Girls' Glee Club, which gave one number.

BACCALAUREATE SERVICES ARE HELD

Baccalaureate exercises for the graduates of the Spring Valley High School, were held at the Methodist Episcopal Church at Spring Valley, Sunday evening, the Rev. T. C. Walle, pastor of that church, delivering the principal address. The Rev. Mr. Walle took for his subject, "The Fruit of the Spirit," and delivered an interesting discourse to the members of the class and school patrons attending the exercises.

The program of the evening included a vocal duet by Laura Copsey and Florence Hartsock. A selection was given by a male quartette, followed by the Girls' Glee Club, which gave one number.

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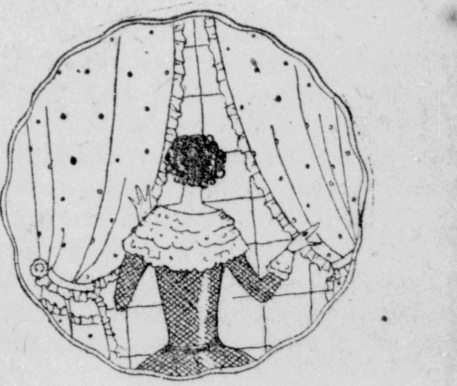
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THE GIFT OF "VISION," AS SEEN BY JOHN R. MOTT.

Probably no other living American has influenced and inspired more young men than John R. Mott. He is executive head of the International Young Men's Christian Association. Dr. Mott was born in Livingston Manor, New York, and he is fifty-eight years old. He was graduated from Cornell University in 1888. During the late war he was the most important single figure in the direction of religious activities among the soldiers of the American Expeditionary Force. He is a brother-in-law of Prof. W. W. White, formerly of Xenia, his wife being a sister of Prof. White.

Article by Bruce Barton: With a man whose name I do not know, said Mr. Mott, I sat on the observation platform of a transcontinental train while the glistening rails unwound themselves behind us across the surface of the Great Salt Lake—a roadbed of solid rock, as disdainful of the angry little waves on either side as a giant snapped at by puppies. They had fought a game battle, those waters; for many months they scattered and hid the rock as fast as loaded freight trains could haul it; mockingly they tossed themselves at the puny men who should have known better than to try to do a thing which could not be done.

As often as the men were beaten, they returned with bigger locomotives and trains more heavily loaded, until finally the mocking laughter died out of the waters and sullenness settled on them. Up through the surface the roadway pushed its huge shoulders, and stayed; the waves still snarl and snap, but the fight is gone out of them. The rock alone they might have conquered; the thing they could not conquer is harder than rock—the will of a man who, seeing in his mind's eye the job already completed, will not rest until it is complete.

My companion on the platform tossed his cigar into the lake, thrust his hands into his pockets and took a deep breath.

"Always like to come back by this route," he exclaimed. "Sort of stiffens your backbone to think of that little chap Hariman. Everyone told him he couldn't build his railroad across the lake; but he went ahead and built it. All they saw in the road anyhow was a couple of streaks of rust. He saw the West, and he invested every penny he could beg or borrow. Anybody else could have bought the stock at the same price he paid; all it needed was Vision."

"I wish you would talk about some of the Men of Vision you have known," said Mr. Barton to him. "And tell me one thing, particularly: Is this mysterious quality something that only one in a million can possess—a gift, like rich parents, or talent for music? Or is it latent in average folks, needing only to be recognized and fostered? How do you discover it in the men you employ? Who was the first man you met who had it in unusual measure?"

It was a good fire and the chairs were comfortable. I threw on another log and turned out the lamp. Somehow, firelight seemed appropriate for a talk about Vision. How many men, I wondered, have dreamed dreams and conquered empires in front of an open fire?

"I don't have to hesitate over your last question," Doctor Mott began. "The first man of really great vision whom I knew well was Dwight Lyman Moody. You do not hear his name so frequently these days, for events move fast and even outstanding men are quickly forgotten; but I think I could undertake to guide you to at least a hundred cities in this country and point out some beneficent institution, or influential man, or group of influential men, as living proofs of the vision of D. L. Moody."

"You remember his story. When he was four years old his father died, leaving nine children. The little stony farm was mortgaged and the creditors took everything, even the kindling from the wood pile. Dwight was tossed about from pillar to post, receiving a very meager schooling—he was never a scholar in any sense—until, at the age of seventeen, he was offered a place in a store on condition that he attend church and Sunday school regularly. The part of Boston where he lived was dense and dirty, filled with ragged youngsters. It was not long until Moody had recruited a corps of them as a Sunday school class, and in that crowd of rough-talking, hard-hitting young rowdies Moody found his vision. From that day he lost his enthusiasm for making money and became an enthusiast about men. Having saved a thousand dollars, he resigned his job and went to work heart and soul in the mission he had established. You can easily imagine the consternation of his relatives and practical advisers.

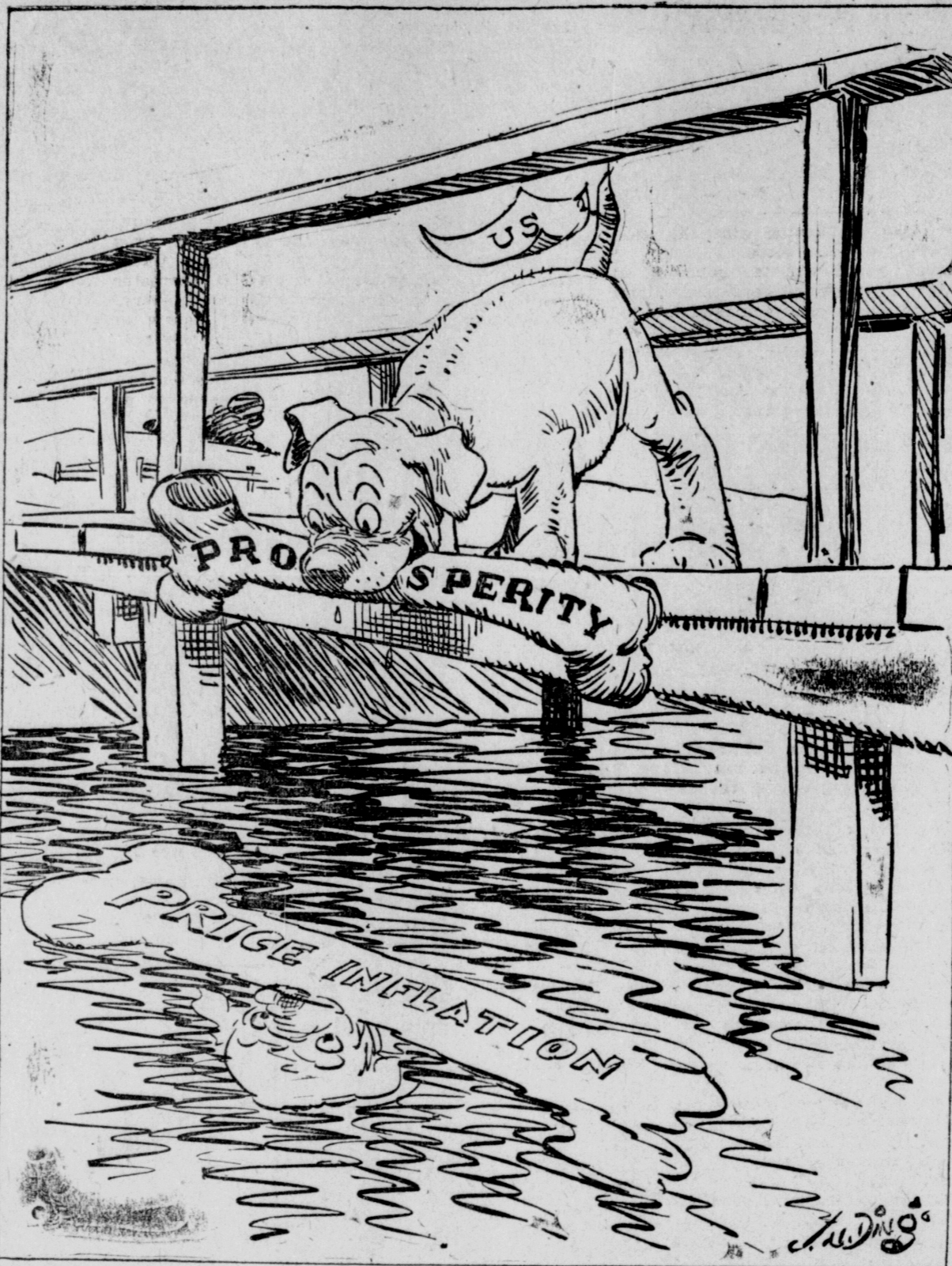
"Your thousand dollars will be gone in no time," they exclaimed; as, indeed, it was.

"Never mind," replied Moody. "I am working for God, and He is rich."

HE HEARD LINCOLN'S GREAT COOPER INSTITUTE SPEECH

George Henry McKee of Darlington, N. C., writes: "The writer was a boy of nine years of age, in 1860, and being the son of a father who became a delegate to the convention at Chicago which nominated Lincoln and Hamlin and living in New York City (my birth place) at the time, you can believe that I was an exceedingly enthusiastic 'kid.' The campaign in New York was a warm one. I didn't miss a torch-light or a wide-awake procession while the campaign lasted. Mr. Lincoln, in the early part of 1860, had been invited to speak at the Cooper Institute and my father had assured me that he would take me to hear him, but I was fearful that if I waited until night I might not be able to get into the auditorium, or might get crushed in the crowd that would be clamoring and crowding to obtain admission, so I decided to 'put one over' on the crowd and when school was dismissed that day at 3 o'clock I went direct to the Institute. I was in time all right and waited patiently for the doors to open. My seat was in the third or fourth row from the front. The place was packed to the doors. During Mr. Lincoln's speech, kid-like, I began to 'take him apart' and this was the result: I saw a long, lanky man whose clothes seemed to hang on him, his eyes were sunken, his cheek-bones prominent, his ears large as was his mouth. There were periods when his features took on a look of sadness and one which impressed me with the thought that the speaker was, or had been, in deep trouble and was 'carrying a cross.' I thought that the homeliest man that I had ever seen was before me and then there were, after long periods, times when his features would lighten up, his eyes brighten and, as far as his face was concerned, I was looking at a different man. Five years later, when the body of the martyred President was lying in state on the upper floor of the City Hall of New York, I again looked at his face, but alas his great heart that had always beat for humanity and justice, and the hand that had held the pen that released a race from bondage, were forever stilled."

THEY DO SAY THERE WAS ONCE A FOOLISH LITTLE DOG SEEING THE MAGNIFIED REFLECTION IN THE WATER DROPPED HIS BONE TO GO AFTER THE BIGGER ONE, AND THUS LOST BOTH



1903--Twenty Years Ago--1923

Dr. D. E. Spahr, of Clifton read a paper on the subject "A Day with a Country Doctor," at the meeting of the Greene County Medical Society yesterday.

An agent of Pawnee Bill's Wild West show was in this city today and was endeavoring to make arrangements for bringing the show to this city.

Mr. R. R. Grene and Auditor Coalman Dadds were in Springfield yesterday attending a meeting of the State race committee of the Miami Valley fair circuit for the purpose of considering the state race entries.

Master Willie Hallesy entertained twelve of his little school friends Thursday evening in honor of his birthday.



BEAUTY MAKING BATHS

There is no reason why a bath should be merely a cleanly wash. Bathing can be an aesthetic as well as a virtuous pleasure. Perhaps this is putting it in an exaggerated way—yet, why not? A luxurious bath takes no more time and need cost but little more than a plain soap and hot water one.

Perfumed bath crystals, in delightful shades of violet, green and orange, are nice to use, but expensive.



sive. They are really only salt and soda and scent. You can imitate them, if you like, by mixing together two-thirds of coarse household salt and one-third of bicarbonate of soda. A handful of this mixture in the tub softens the water just as well, though it has no perfume. The scent you would have to supply with ordinary toilet water. If you keep this preparation in an attractive bowl, it will be as decorative in the bathroom as the colored crystals. If you have any tendency to rheumatism, use epsom salts in place of the soda. These mixtures make the water delightfully soft and, of course more cleansing.

Oatmeal bags are messy to use and rather a nuisance to prepare, but they will make the bath water nice, and they will whiten and soften the skin. A couple of tablespoonsful in a cheese cloth bag, tied with a bit of ribbon and dropped into the hot water, is sufficient. The bag should be squeezed to force out the milky fluid from the meal, and thrown away afterward. If you make up a dozen of these at a time, it wouldn't

be so much of a nuisance. Toilet vinegar added to the water makes a stimulating bath, too.

Anxious Jane—I am afraid that I might influence you in parting with that lovely head of hair; however, if you do decide to cut it I know that thick, wavy, dark hair on an 18-year-old girl is very attractive indeed. I agree with you that it is a easy to shampoo and I am sure that it will be very becoming.

Blondy—The bleach injured the texture of your hair, but the new hair will be all right if you do not repeat the offense. Any of the curlers that do not require heat will be all right to use. I will be glad to send you a formula for a hair tonic if you send a s. a. s. e.

H. G. G.—To have deep circles under the eyes all the time, as you say you have, would indicate that your health is not at its best. Consult your doctor.

Tomorrow—Answered Letters

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All questions asked by our readers will be answered in this column. Medical and legal subjects are barred. Address all queries to "Information Box," this paper.

READER—You are right. Mistletoe has been proved to be injurious to growing trees, and already action is being taken by the Department of Agriculture to destroy the parasite in the Northwest.

John A. L.—The paper you speak of, that can be washed with soap and water in a tub, was invented by a Japanese.

Thyra—The corrosive power of salt water may be estimated by the fact that cast iron that had been covered by salt water for a century, when first brought into the air, could be cut with a knife.

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Today's Talk

I hardly think there are two words more opposed than the two little words above—love and fear.

The one always building, the other always tearing down. Love, the light which guides us all like a star—fear, always trying to pull us out of this light into darkness.

Love always warning, fear always chilling us to the very marrow of our bones.

It is the love of life, of nature, of beauty, of friends, of books that enables us to see the futility of fear.

From the day that I read God was love, I wanted to know Him—to love Him.

It is in the Bible somewhere the statement is made that "perfect love casteth out fear."

We are unafraid when we love much. The more I love the trees, the rocks, the flowers of the field, and

all the many marvelous manifestations of Nature, the less I am afraid of the tempers of Nature in its storms and stresses.

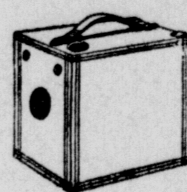
When we look some great test; in the face and say to ourselves: "Ah, but I am not afraid!" then it is that strength rises within us to bear us through. Its love that does it. Fear can bring nothing but prostration.

If you love your work, it matters not what that work is, it's a vital part of you—it forms and fashions what you are, what you most desire. If you love enough, you can wipe fear from your life.

PROTEST AGAINST DRY SHIP RULING.

Copenhagen, May 7.—Important Danish merchants' commercial associations have jointly sent a protest to the foreign ministry against the "dry ship" decision of the United States supreme court.

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AMERICAN LEGION RAISING FUND TO DECORATE GRAVES

Joseph P. Foody Post, No. 95, American Legion, Monday began a campaign to raise its quota in the national drive being made by the Legion to raise a Graves Endowment Fund of \$100,000 before May 30 to be used to decorate the graves of American Soldiers in France.

Although no quota has been set for the Xenia territory, Legionnaires in charge of the campaign expect to assist the national organization in raising a sum expected to greatly exceed the amount set. Preliminary drives held by other posts indicate when the national totals are in considerably more than \$100,000 will have been obtained.

The Xenia drive is in charge of a committee consisting of Earl Short, chairman, Ohmer Tate and Earl Spahr and the Legion Auxiliary is lending aid to the project. With the beginning of the campaign Monday boxes were placed in banks and business houses where those interested may contribute. Committee members believe that Xenia will give its share if the donations are an average of ten cents each.

An appeal to churches to assist in the movement, was answered first at the Union Service held Sunday night, when the special collection for the fund taken up at the joint services of the First Presbyterian, Trinity M. E. and Reformed Churches resulted in \$10.05 being contributed as a nucleus for the fund. Other churches have promised to take up similar collections next Sunday.

The campaign will be conducted during this week and the boxes will remain in conspicuous places as mute appeal to friends of the fallen soldiers during that time. Especial arrangements for the close of the drive Saturday have also been made. Girl Scouts have been enlisted by the Legion to sell poppies on the streets Saturday afternoon to benefit the fund and Saturday night, Legionnaires will continue the poppy sales.

In announcing the Graves Endowment Fund, the American Legion Weekly in a recent issue said: "The American Legion has pledged eternal memory to more than 32,000 comrades-in-arms, fellow veterans of the World War, whose bodies will rest forever in the soil of Europe. It is a duty of honor—the duty of seeing that 32,000 graves be held forever as sacred American ground. It is an obligation that cannot be measured in years—it extends on into time that can only be measured by the life of the republic."

The money will insure that the overseas graves will be decorated on every Memorial Day of the future. Every contribution of \$1 or more will be acknowledged in the American Legion Weekly. It was for one of these fallen heroes resting now in a grave in France that Joseph P. Foody Post was named.

SPORTS

TENNIS MATCHES RESULT IN TIE

M'DONNELL TWIRLS BAYLIFF'S TO WIN OVER BOWERSVILLE DAYTON DEFEATS ANTIOCH NINE

HOW THEY STAND

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Club	Won	Lost	Pct.
New York	14	5	.737
Chicago	10	9	.526
Pittsburgh	10	9	.526
St. Louis	9	8	.525
Boston	8	9	.471
Cincinnati	8	11	.421
Philadelphia	6	10	.375
Brooklyn	6	12	.333

AT BROOKLYN—

Club	Won	Lost	Pct.
Philadelphia	10	10	.500
Brooklyn	2	4	.333

Weinert, Winters, Mitchell and Wilson; Cadore and Taylor.

AT CINCINNATI—

Club	Won	Lost	Pct.
Pittsburgh	6	0	1.000
Cincinnati	0	1	.000

Baughy, Carlson, Hamilton and Schmidt; Luque, Donohue and Wingo, Hargrave.

AT CHICAGO—

Club	Won	Lost	Pct.
Chicago	2	0	1.000
St. Louis	4	7	.364

Osborne, Cheevers and Hartnett; Pfeffer and Ainsmith.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Club	Won	Lost	Pct.
New York	11	7	.611
Detroit	11	8	.579
Cleveland	11	8	.579
Philadelphia	8	8	.500
Washington	7	10	.412
St. Louis	7	10	.412
Chicago	7	10	.412

AT NEW YORK—

Club	Won	Lost	Pct.
Philadelphia	0	0	.000
New York	0	0	.000

Rommel and Perkins; Jones, Mays and Hoffman.

AT WASHINGTON—

Club	Won	Lost	Pct.
Boston	0	0	.000
Washington	0	0	.000

Murray, Ferguson and Plinius; Johnson and Ruel.

AT ST. LOUIS—

Club	Won	Lost	Pct.
Detroit	0	0	.000
Chicago	0	0	.000

Pilette, Francis and Woodall; Robertson and Seale.

AT CLEVELAND—

Club	Won	Lost	Pct.
St. Louis	0	1	.000
Cleveland	2	1	.667

Vangilder, Danforth, Wright, Pruitt and Severeid; Morton, Smith and Myatt.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

Club	Won	Lost	Pct.
Louisville	12	5	.706
Kansas City	9	4	.692
Columbus	11	7	.611
St. Paul	8	7	.533
Milwaukee	8	9	.471
Toledo	8	10	.444
Minneapolis	7	10	.412
Indianapolis	5	14	.263

Milwaukee 8, Kansas City 11.

Columbus 4, Louisville 5.

Toledo 7, Indianapolis 5.

St. Paul 7, Minneapolis 2.

BAYLIFFS DEFEAT BOWERSVILLE

By Wones

The Xenia Bayliffs won their first game of the season Sunday afternoon at Washington Park, when they slipped the Bowersville nine the short end of an 8 to 3 score.

Th Bayliffs won the game by opportune hitting and good base-running the locals piling up 4 runs in the first four innings. They were also aided by the erratic fielding of the Bowersville lads.

McDonnell twirled for the locals and put up a nice game on the mound. "Willie" struck out 13 and let the Bowersville gag down with 10 hits. In only two innings did the visitors bunch their hits and that was in the third and eighth. McDonnell had good control and did not issue a free pass. Wical, who did mound duty for the losers, also hurled a nice game but he was contributed very poor support by his mates who made costly errors behind him. Wical fanned 12 and like McDonnell did not walk a single man, while he let the locals down with but five hits.

The locals showed a decided improvement in this Sunday's game over the one which they participated in last week. Furnas starred at the bat for the locals, getting two nice hits out of five trips to the plate. F. Leachy, Randall, and McDonnell also got singles. Wical was the big noise with the ash for the Bowersville nine, with three hits out of four times up. Haley also showed up well, getting a triple and two singles.

The locals got one run in the first round after Furnas had singled to right, stole second and went to third on M. Leachy's infield out. Tucker fanned. Bain whiffed but D. Murrell dropped the third strike and threw wild to Spears which resulted in a run. The locals then breezed along until the fourth. M. Leachy was hit by a pitched ball. Bain was out, Wical to Spears, Leachy going to second. Bowermeister muffed Fuller's fly ball and Leachy went to third. F. Leachy weighed in with a nice bingle to left that scored M. Leachy and Fuller. F. Leachy stole second and third. Early popped to Gallimore. Schwab fanned but Murrell lost the ball and F. Leachy scampered home while Schwab went to second. McDonnell struck out for the final out.

The Bayliffs added three more runs in the seventh as the result of poor fielding by the Bowersville bunch. Bowersville got two tallies in the eighth after DeAtley had struck out Spears bounced to Furnas but the peg to Tucker was bad and Spears was same. Haley tripled to right center and Spears scored, Shadley sing-

led to center and Haley crossed the plate with the second tally. Shadley was caught napping off second by McDonnell. M. Leachy getting the put-out. Wical singled. D. Murrell fanned for the third out. Bowersville added one more run in the ninth. A. Murrell, first man up, singled to left. Bowermeister fumbled Shaw's grounder and both runners were safe. DeAtley hosted to F. Leachy. Spears filed to Fuller. Haley singled to left and Murrell went on third but kept right on going and crossed the plate. Furnas' peg to Bain to catch Murrell was perfect but Bain dropped the ball and Murrell scored. Shadley took the count of three for the last out.

A fair crowd turned out for the exhibition. The game as a whole was quite an interesting affair. Next Sunday the Bayliffs will play the St. Paul Moose Club.

Manager Roy Bayliff wants all players to be out for practice every night at five o'clock starting Tuesday evening.

The score:

Bayliffs	Ab	R	H	O	A	E
Furnas, 3b	5	1	2	1	2	2
Tucker, 1b	4	2	0	6	2	0
M. Leachy, 2b	2	2	0	3	2	0
Bain, c	3	1	0	13	2	1
Fuller, cf	4	1	0	2	0	0
F. Leachy, if	4	1	1	1	0	0
Earley, ss	3	0	0	1	1	1
Bowyer, ss	1	0	0	0	0	0
Schwab, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Randall, rf	2	0	1	0	0	0
McDonnell, p	4	0	1	0	14	0

Totals— 34 8 5 27 22 5
Ab R H O A E
Bowersville
Haley, 3b 5 1 3 0 2 2
Shadley, ss 5 0 1 0 1 0
Gallimore, cf 4 0 0 2 0 0
Wical, p 4 0 3 0 11 0
D. Murrell, c 4 0 0 11 2 2
A. Murrell, 2b 4 1 1 2 3 3
Shaw, if 4 0 0 0 0 0
Bowermeister, rf 2 0 0 1 0 3
DeAtley, rf 2 0 0 0 0 0
Spears, 1b 4 1 2 8 0 3

Totals— 38 8 5 27 22 5

Score by innings:
Bayliffs..... 1 0 0 3 1 0 3 0 x—8
Bowersville..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 2 1—3

Three Base hits—Haley; Double plays—Bains to Tucker to M. Leachy; Hit by pitched ball—by Wical (M. Leachy 2); Passed balls—D. Murrell 3; Struck out—Wical 12; McDonnell 13; Left on bases—Bowersville 8, Bayliffs 5; Umpires Rachford and Devoe. Time of game—Two hours.

DAYTON DEFEATS ANTIOCH 23-8

After winning handily in recent games, Antioch College baseball team met its Nemesis at Yellow Springs, Saturday being defeated by the University of Dayton nine 23 to 8.

The game resembled something of a ball game until the last stanza, when the Antioch aggregation blew up like a toy balloon and the visiting baseballers piled on runs thicker than molasses. Until the fatal finale, the Dayton outfit was holding a 9 to 8 lead, but the slender margin evidently did not satisfy Coach Schweicher's athletes, for they inaugurated a fruitful session with the ash in the last frame and counted 14 runs.

Caulfield, who relieved Bradley for

Dayton in the second inning pitched nice ball, and only permitted two runs during the rest of the game. Treleaven, Kimmierle and Light, who all took turns in the box for Antioch, were treated terribly by the visiting swarms, who garnered 24 safeties during the afternoon's alleged pastime.

AMERICAN GOLFERS START WELL

Deal, England, May 7.—Two of the big guns of the American attack along the British front were silenced for the duration of the "war" today when Jesse Sweetser, American amateur champ, and Bob Gardner, former holder of that title, were beaten in the first round of the British amateur golf championship.

Sweetser fell before E. E. Layton, of Royal Cinque Ports, a comparative unknown, by a score of 5 up and 3 to play. Gardner was eliminated by G. D. Forrester, of Welking, another obscure entry, two up.

Harris Johnston of St. Paul re-deemed the showing of Sweetser and Gardner by beating H. L. Holden of Bowden, very easily, nine up and seven to play, but Guy Standifer of Washington, D. C., was eliminated by H. E. Lebas of Walton Heath, 3 up and 2 to play.

George V. Hotan, of Houston, Texas played by long odds the best golf of the American team, in disposing of J. A. Board.

Deal, England, May 7.—Americans got away gunning in the British amateur golf championship today when Francis Outmet of Boston, one of the big "guns" of the team and Jack Neville, of San Francisco, won their first round matches from English opponents.

Outmet, brilliant and erratic by turns disposed of A. H. Reed, of Sunningdale by a score of 4 up and 3 to play, and Neville eliminated Lord Maddstone, of Royal St. George's an amateur of almost national reputation, by 5 up and 4 to play. Neville was more consistent in his play than the great Francis, but the latter was not forced to his best by Reed. Reed went completely to pieces after making the turn for home and the best he could do was a five on the last six holes. In consequence, Outmet, who was only one up at the finish of the first nine holes, went on to win easily.

SUNDAY'S HOME RUNS

Club	No.	Total
Hornsby, St. Louis	2	4
Williams, Phila.	1	8
Bottomley, St. Louis	1	2

(NONE) American League

Totals: National 73, last year 51.

American 36, last year 59.

MAJOR LEAGUE HITTERS

Speaker, Cleveland.	18	69	10	26	.377
Miller, Phila.	17	65	14	24	.379
National League					
Wheat, Brooklyn ..	16	57	8	25	.438

National League

Grimm, Pittsburgh	. 19	66	18	28	.424
Frisch, New York	. 19	81	21	33	.467
Williams, Phila.	. . . 17	77	16	30	.390

Tennis Matches are Knotted

Antioch College helped the University of Dayton open its tennis season in Dayton Saturday, the teams tying at 3-3 for the honors of the afternoon. Last week Antioch played Otterbein a tie match.

Cook opened well for Antioch by defeating Phlaum, but matters were evened when Weston lost to Kronaue. The other two singles were also evenly divided and the doubles

were split the same way. Frank Kronaue, ace of the Dayton racket stars, showed fine form in the matches. The scores: Phlaum vs Cook, 2-6, 6-4, 4-6. Kronaue vs Weston, 6-1, 6-4. Dorgan vs Dawson, 6-4, 6-8, 0-6. Daugherty vs Greenwood, 6-4, 7-5. Kronaue and Dorgan vs Dawson and Weston, 6-3, 6-3. Phlaum and Daugherty vs Greenwood and Cook, 3-6, 6-4, 3-6.



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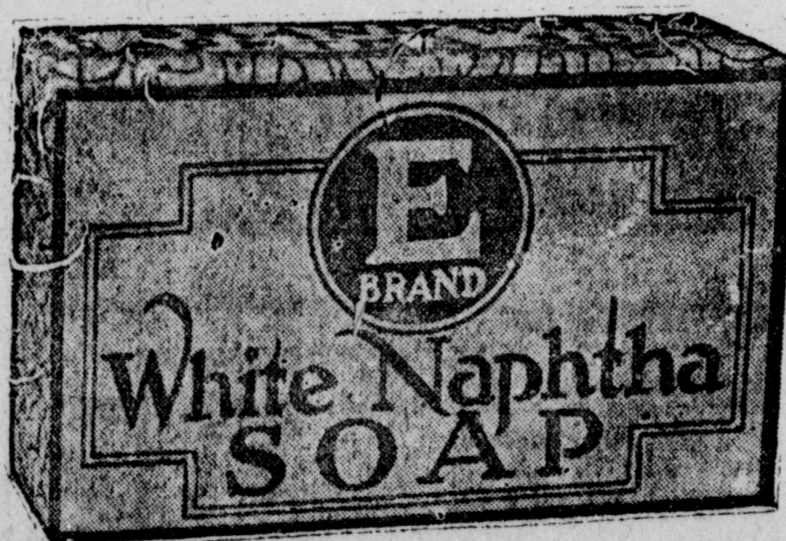
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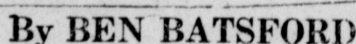
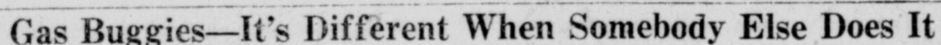
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By WHEELAN



SCHOOLS OF SPRING VALLEY WILL CLOSE FRIDAY, MAY 11

Various events leading to the close of the Spring Valley Township schools, Friday, which are scheduled for this week opened Sunday evening with the baccalaureate sermon, delivered by the Rev. Valley of the M. E. Church, Spring Valley, to the High School, graduates and their friends, at the M. E. Church.

The next affair, will be that of the annual class dinner, which will be enjoyed at the spacious country home of Miss Marie Squires, a member of the senior class, Tuesday evening.

Thursday evening, May 10, the graduating exercises will take place in the Spring Valley opera house. The class address will be given by Superintendent A. A. Maysilles, of Dayton.

The nine graduates are Mirlam M. Smith, Sadie Moore, Winifred E. Penewit, Hazel M. Sollers, Edith Marie Squires, Margaret Mitchener, Charles Beam, Oran Turner, and Charles Barley. Music will be furnished by the Cosmopolitan Orchestra.

Mass day exercises will be held Friday afternoon, when all the schools of the township will unite to hold a gala day. The exercises will begin at 1:15 o'clock. The first feature will be the presentation of certificates of the Eighth Grade by Assistant County Superintendent of Schools, D. H. Barnes.

The Eighth Grade graduates are, Mildred Edwards, Catherine Noggie, Dorothy Conard, Marjorie Naydock, Leigha Stump, Edna Leaming, Hazel Nicholson, Rosie Moore, James Carback, Lester Robinson, Elmer Peterson, Edith Miller, Doris Bogan, Ray Webb, Kathryn Van Pelt, Lewis Strain, Carl Shaw, Harvey Grooms, Harold Hartsock, Raymond Norris, Toddy Walton and Paul Shaw.

Following the Eighth Grade graduation exercises, 250 children of the public schools will present the cantata, "A Day in the Woods," under the direction of Professor W. R. Sayrs, music director.

The completion of the new Spring Valley Township High School, building next fall, is being looked forward to with interest. A four-year High School course will be offered at the new building in September, outlining a First-Grade High School course in every particular.

U. S. NOTES OF 1790 FOUND IN OLD TREE

Canton, O., May 7.—Three hundred dollars in United States notes, a century and a third old, were found in the heart of an oak tree by Harry Smith and James McGhee, Augusta township farmers, when they cut down the aged monarch of the forest recently.

The money is believed to have been hidden away by army couriers in the early days of the American republic when hard pressed by Indian foes. The notes were found in a cavity, but as the air reached it the paper crumpled into dust, although a fragment, showing the date of the bills—1790—remained.

Authorities upon ancient currency said that if care had been exercised the thirty \$10 notes found would have been worth at low estimate \$1,000 apiece, and collectors might even have bid higher.

The theory entertained is that the money was sent to pay some of the soldiers in this territory then engaged in quelling Indian outbreaks. The tree stood close to the famous Tuscarawas trail that ran from Fort Duquesne, Pittsburg, to Marietta.

SPRING VALLEY

Miss Evelyn Armstrong of Chattanooga, Tenn., has been in town the past week selling a lecture course.

Mrs. James Laurans ran a straw in her left eye Wednesday and is suffering greatly.

The funeral of Josiah Elam was held at the late home Friday afternoon, conducted by Rev. H. O. Collins assisted by Rev. Walley.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Darnier, who have been spending the winter in Florida, are visiting his grandmother, Mrs. Burnice Peterson.

Mr. Nathan White, of Kokomo, Ind., attended the funeral of Mr. Josiah Elam Friday and is visiting friends in this vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Mont Stump and daughters of near Harvesburg, were guests Wednesday of Mrs. Mattie Truman.

Mr. Daniel Stump left Saturday for a visit with his stepson near Columbus.

The Junior class of the High School entertained the senior class at the home of Willis Harner Friday evening.

STRIKES CLOSE MINES

Bellaire, O., May 7.—Approximately 1,000 miners of the Eastern Ohio sub-district includes a part of W. Va. Virginia, are idle due to strikes.

Scotland Yard Chief In America.



Sir William Harwood, K. C. B., D. S. O., Commissioner of Police, of the world-famous Scotland Yard, of London, has arrived in New York to participate in the International Police Convention.

EAST END NEWS

Mrs. Solie Buckner and sister, Mrs. Rosa Reed, who have been here with their uncle, Mr. William Tibbs since last fall are now the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chavers, of Mt. Sterling, Ohio.

Mrs. Celia Merritt, of North Columbus street, is among the sick this week.

Mr. Henry Roan and wife, of Middletown, Mr. Jasper Roan of Canton, were here to attend the funeral of their mother, Mrs. Martha Roan.

Rev. W. H. Moore and wife of Franklin, Ohio, were Friday guests of friends here. They also attended the funeral of Mrs. Roan.

Mrs. Mamie Gimes, East Market Street, is among the sick.

EAST HIGH NOTES

A large and appreciative audience greeted the pupils of Lincoln, East Junior and Senior High Schools, Thursday and Friday nights in the East High School auditorium.

The program was said to be the best series of entertainments ever presented by the schools. Much credit is due the pupils and teachers for the success of the entertainment.

The program opened Thursday night with an overture School orchestra, folk games by the first grade pupils. This number was followed by a playlet "The Troubles of the Bad English Family," fourth grade. Folk games were played next by the second grade pupils.

Cooking demonstration was presented by the Domestic Science Department. Miss Nettie Ashbury demonstrating the making of bread; Miss Aileen Hudson, cake making; Miss Lois Raymond, salads. Playlet "The Coming of Spring" was next presented by the fifth grade. This number was followed by the Girls Physical Culture Class of East High School, who presented the Coming of Spring in a most unique way.

Friday night's program opened with a march, school orchestra, followed by a trio minuet in G. (Beethoven) violin, saxophone and cornet Messers Holmes, Taylor and Tibbs.

The third grade presented in games "The Ace of Diamonds, and mountain march." The sixth grade rendered a pageant "Americanization through the teaching of Geography." It was very attractive, well rendered and instructive. The Junior High Girls in the Highland Schottische pleased the audience to the extent that they were called back to repeat the number.

The playlet "Good English" was well presented by the Junior High boys and girls. The next attraction was a splendid drill by the Junior High boys which showed splendid training. The Physical Culture class repeated the splendid number "The Coming of Spring."

The atmospheric condition prevented William Nules, junior, with his tenting that he had made. Radio set that the pupils was good in all departments. After each night's program the building was opened to the patrons and friends who took the opportunity of seeing through the new building, inspecting the exhibits and spending a social hour.

Fraternity Aids in School Drive The XI chapter Alpha Pi Alpha fraternity of Wilberforce University rendered a splendid program to the pupils of the junior and senior High school Friday morning at 10:45 in school auditorium. This week is also known as "Go to High School—Go to College" week. In order to conduct a campaign for more and higher education the national organization of the fraternity is boosting the movement, which has the endorsement of President Harding, Governors of various states and leading men all over the world. Splendid talks were given by the young men of the chapter, a musical program was rendered and personal work done among the High School students.

Efficient Housekeeping

TOMORROW'S MENU

Breakfast
Stewed Dried Peaches
Cereal
Boiled Eggs
Coffee
Luncheon
Kidney Bean Soup with
Wholewheat Croutons
Lettuce
Tea
Dinner
Potatoes Steamed in Jacket
Boiled Beef Greens
Coffee
Raisin Pie

I am aware that many of my Housekeeper Readers make fancy work articles to sell through woman's exchanges in order to earn "pin money." So, for their sake, I make a practice of going around to the various fancy work stores, whenever I make a flying trip to a city which abounds in such shops, for the purpose of glean- ing the "latest wrinkle" in fancy work ideas. Here are some new wringles which I ran across this week:

The New Pin Trays: This idea came from Paris. The tray itself is of glass, measuring about three inches across the top. Its shape is very low with curved sides, similar to the saucer of a small, after-dinner coffee cup. (Any kind of glass tray could be used.) The entire under side of the tray is covered with gold net, which lies tightly drawn across the bottom and is gathered around the rim of the tray so that it will cling to the sides. Of course the gold net shows through the glass when one looks down on the tray. Directly in the middle of the tray, on the bottom (lying between the gold net and the under side of the tray) is a tiny doiley of white linen with a butterfly or a flower embroidered on it; this decoration, showing through the glass, gives a very dainty effect.

The New Vases: These were simply the tall, slender white and tinted glass vases such as one can buy at a five and ten-cent store) flaring at the top, but they were decorated by being covered with old-rose or old blue silk brocade at the bottom, extending half way up the height of the vase. Gold braid was stopped (that is, at the extreme bottom and half way up.) In this way a case may be

FIRES PROVE FATAL

Cleveland, O., May 7.—Miss Nettie Russell, 43, is in a critical condition and may die, and Stella Zowzyk, seven, is dead today, the result of two fires last night. Miss Russell received serious burns when she turned out the gas fire in the kitchen stove. The child was burned to death when she climbed on a chair and fell on the kitchen range at her home.



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A PURITAN WIFE

By Jane Phelps

CHAPTER LXXVIII

His careless nature wouldn't let Dick think Ann in earnest in her talk of leaving him—yet she never had talked like that before, in that queer voice. If she thought he was going to stand for Norton's love-making she was mistaken. After he had punished her enough, and she asked his forgiveness he might be friends again. His first anger had cooled. Down in his heart he did not believe Ann unfaithful. But he hadn't "got even" yet. She had not been punished enough for what she had let Norton do—kissing her hand like a love-sick fool, and telling her he loved her.

He'd see whose house it was! The idea of her daring to say Grace could not come in it while she was there. Cute, sympathetic Grace, whom she always had hated and misunderstood. He showed his independence—or thought he did—by calling Grace whenever he was in the house to meals, chatting with her over the phone, and not speaking to Ann save as it were necessary. She still did all the bookkeeping for the ranch, and the data he required could be learned only from her. Aside from matters of business, however, they held no conversation.

It was a heart-breaking situation for Ann. She had done all she could. It surely wasn't her duty to be humbled before Grace Edmunds further. To keep from thinking, from breaking down completely she was busy every moment. She helped Nora clean, she sewed, she played with little Jack, telling him stories that taxed her so that she had to keep her mind upon what she was saying. Not imaginative, she had undertaken to equal Grace's flights of fancy to entertain the child, to wean him away from thoughts of

"Grace." Bessie had told Ann that Grace's burns had healed so that wearing her clothes no longer distressed her. Sure that Dick also knew this, she awaited their next move nervously, but with no outward sign of her feeling. She had grown pale and thin, but took the greatest pains with her appearance, her hair, her clothes. The house never had been more neatly kept, the meals were all just as Dick liked them. Jack, dressed in the cunning suits she made him, was healthy and happy. When Dick spoke she answered pleasantly, even brightly, but she made no effort to really talk to him. The set of his lips, the way he left immediately after he had eaten let her see plainly it would be useless.

He had gone to town, had come home partially intoxicated. She had said nothing, but had quietly gone to her room, leaving him undisturbed until he awakened from the sleep that always followed any indulgence. But she had wept bitterly. If only she had been able to wean him from that habit, perhaps all that had happened might have been avoided. Grace had made light of it, had seemed to like him better when he had been drinking, treating that and his forgetfulness as a joke. Playing on the weak points in his character, flattering him—and he was like a child when flattered.

Her mother wrote her long, loving letters, advising her to be just and generous in her treatment of others, praising Dick, telling her how she and father had liked their son. By her silence, by protecting Dick she had lost the comfort of their sympathy. Aside from deploring her worldliness, they both liked Grace. Hugh was improving faster than the doctor expected. He stopped in one day and told Ann it was all owing to her nursing, the care he had re-

ceived. But though she was glad to hear Hugh was doing so well, the doctor's visit brought her little comfort. Dick would be sure to think Hugh had sent him.

Ann and Jack were in the dining room, Nora cleaning the porch, when Ann heard the unmistakable sounds of wrangling. She rose, opened the door through which she could see and hear. Nora stood in the doorway, her bare arms spread wide. Just in front of her was Grace Edmunds.

"You can't come in!" Nora said. "I can't! I'd like to know why, and what right have you to keep me out?" Grace tried to push by.

"I have my orders," Nora said, pushing Grace none too gently. "You! Why, you common servant! How dare you talk to me like this? I'll have you discharged at once."

"Oh, will you! Well, you can't come in this house."

Just then Dick appeared. Grace ran to him, her anger at white heat, her words tumbling over each other. "Stand out of the way, Nora. Come Grace." Dick took her arm, about to lead her into the house.

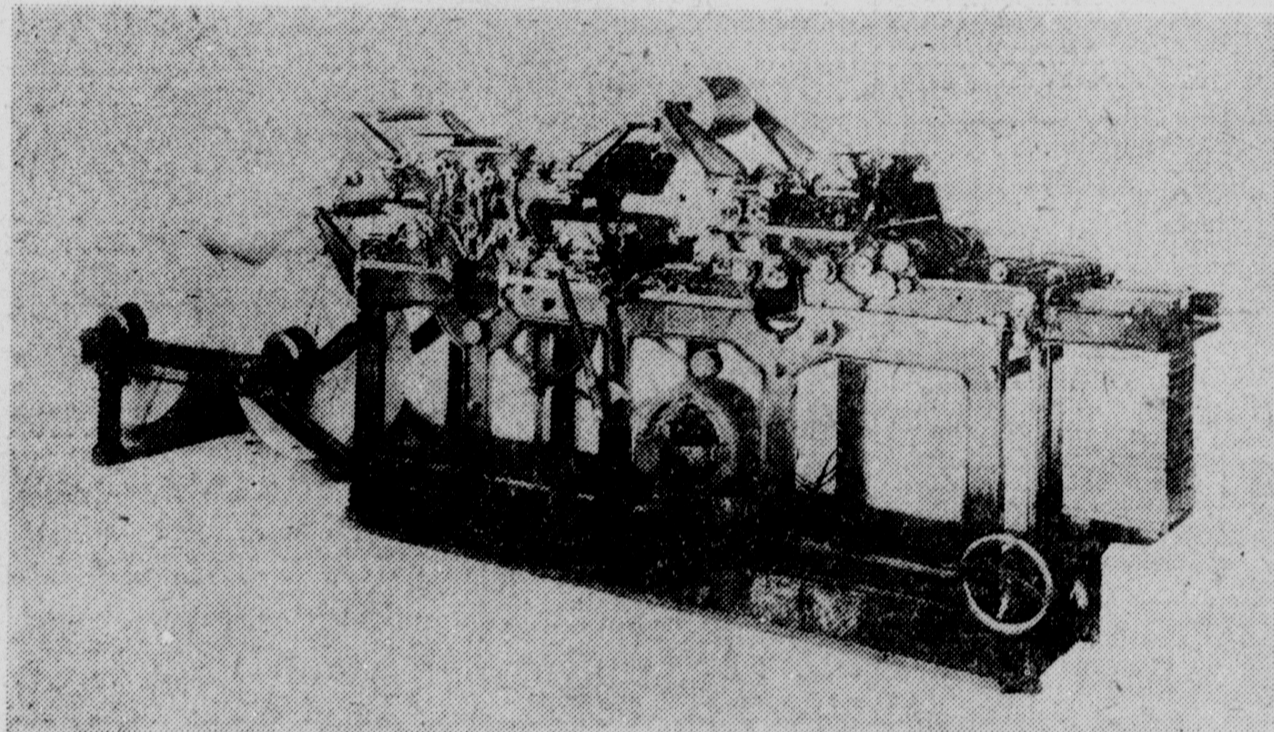
"Just a moment, Dick," Ann said, as she came out, holding Jack by the hand. "Come, Nora," and without a look or word further she walked down the pathway, followed by Nora, who had not hesitated one moment to follow her mistress.

To Be Continued

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This press can be seen in operation at the Drury Printing Co., Dayton at any time.

DO YOU WANT TO MAKE SOME REAL MONEY? Read the following reasons why some of our shrewdest investors have invested every cent they could possibly get a hold of and why you can invest in this new company and feel that you have made the best investment you have ever had an opportunity to make, an investment that offers the possibility of producing as great a return as some of the best companies in the country today.

First—This press will print a circular or letter in six different colors, put a different name and address on each circular at the rate of 25,000 per hour. (The best job press today will print 3,500 per hour in one color.)

Second—The new features that makes it possible for this press to do all this work in one operation are all patented and have been investigated by experts and found to be worth many thousands of dollars, including an investigation conducted by the State of Iowa.

Third—The printing industry is the sixth largest in the world and every printing establishment that expects to keep up with its competitors is a prospect for one of these presses.

Fourth—This Company will be the first in Xenia that will be free of competition and can market its product on a royalty basis.

Fifth—Every Company in the country that is manufacturing a product and placing it on the market on royalties is getting some of the largest returns in the industrial field.

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figures will net this company \$600,000 per year. These figures are not guess work but are figures tabulated by people who know and we can convince you that they are very conservative. These figures do not include our manufacturing profit.

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This factory will be located in the Miami Cereal Co. plant on Washington Street. This property was selected in preference to any other location because of its shipping facilities, large ware houses, and main building constructed for heavy machinery with plenty of room for expansion. The property has been turned over to this company for stock at a very low figure. Get in touch with C. R. Hinkle at the Xenia Grain Co., Allen Bldg., Phone 367.

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North Detroit Street, Opp. Court House, Upstairs.

AMERICA WILL MAKE VIGOROUS PROTEST TO CHINA; TEN THOUSAND SOLDIERS ARE ON BANDITS' TRAIL

AMERICANS ARE KIDNAPED FROM TRAIN SUNDAY

Miss Lucy Aldrich Held
Captive by Gang of
Desperate Thugs

SITUATION SERIOUS

Growth of Outlawry in
China Alarms Powers
Who May Act

Washington, May 7.—Official confirmation was received here today of the capture of nineteen foreigners, including some Americans by Chinese bandits in the province of Shantung, on Sunday. It is assumed that Miss Lucy Aldrich, sister of Mrs. John D. Rockefeller, Jr., is among the Americans taken.

A foreigner lost his life in the fighting that accompanied the train holdup. He has been identified as a British subject, named Rothman.

Confirmation of the bandit outrage came from Dr. Jacob Gould Schurman, American minister at Peking, who based his advice on the report of an American aboard the Peking-Shanghai express, and who escaped.

Minister Schurman described the situation growing out of the holdup and kidnapping as "serious."

While officials were inclined to await additional details today before commenting upon the outrage, it was readily conceded that a most serious situation has been brought about by this latest bandit coup, which took place in one of the most thickly populated sections of China.

It is a situation, admittedly, that may call for joint action on the part of the great powers to compel China to afford reasonable protection to the lives and properties of foreign residents in China. There are numerous precedents for such joint action on the part of the great powers, the most outstanding being in 1901, when the United States, Great Britain, France, Germany, Japan and Italy all sent troops into China in the Boxer uprising.

While the present situation is not yet considered so grave as in 1901, conditions in China are nevertheless felt by officials of this government to be fast becoming intolerable.

A prompt and vigorous protest by the United States will be made as soon as sufficient facts are received to warrant it.

For its own nationals the American government will demand immediately of the Peking authorities their immediate release indemnification for losses and injuries incurred and formal apology accompanied by energetic governmental efforts to capture and suitably punish those responsible for the outrage.

The train was running between Pukow and Tientsin and the holdup occurred near Lincheng, in the province of Shantung. Several foreigners are reported to have been killed and a number of Chinamen wounded. Six foreigners and 23 Chinese escaped.

Miss Lucy Aldrich is a sister-in-law of John D. Rockefeller, Jr. She is understood to have been doing missionary or welfare work in China.

Miss Aldrich is a friend of Theodore Roosevelt, assistant secretary of the navy, and his wife, and is well remembered by many Washingtonians, who knew her during her father's service in the senate.

A marine detachment with two airplanes is stationed at Peking. It was indicated that the commandant at Peking would be asked for an immediate report looking to a possible expedition in the event the bandits are not immediately chased and apprehended by the Chinese authorities.

The navy and the war departments had received no report on the case.

The situation around Peking is so chaotic that it is practically beyond the control of the north China government. Many bands have sprung up. In the same general locality several months ago at the Kalgan gate of the Chinese wall, Charles Colman, an American merchant, was shot dead by a detail of soldiers when he tried to transport some silver out of the country in an automobile. He fell while in company with the American consul general.

An apology and damages for Colman's family were demanded by the state department. After a long wait the Chinese government acceded. News of an apology from General Chang Hsi-Yuan was received here.

Several American destroyers are now in Chinese waters. A part of them recently were sent to Hankow from Shanghai to guard American interests jeopardized by a clash between troops of Dr. Sun Yat Sen and irregulars of south China.

Arrest Former Student In Inquiry into Death

Akron, O., May 7.—Akron detectives today arrested Joseph Allan Mills, in connection with the grand jury investigation of the class rush at Northwestern University in 1921, which is believed to have resulted in the death of Leighon Mount, whose body recently was found beneath a pier at Evanston.

A tip to police led to locating Mills, who is employed by the Goodrich Rubber Company, here. He is

said to have tried to keep his whereabouts a secret.

Mills was calm when arrested and immediately asked for something to eat. Questioned by Harry Welch, chief of detectives, Mills admitted having been a sophomore in the college at the time Mount disappeared and of taking part in the class rush and subsequent investigation.

"You can send me to Chicago," he declared, "and send a dozen men along or let me go alone. I'll come back anyway."

THINK FATHER STOLE OWN CHILD



Airmen of three countries are searching for four-year-old Charles R. Parmalee, Jr., who was kidnapped from a children's home in Mexico City by a band of masked thugs. Charles R. Parmalee, father of the boy, had made three previous efforts to seize the child and is being sought in the belief he has ob-

tained the boy. Parmalee and his wife, Mrs. Esther Black Parmalee, are suing for divorce, each asking the custody of the child. Parmalee, who served with distinction as an aviator in the World War, is a member of a prominent Chicago family, while his wife is the daughter of a Dallas (Texas) banker.

FIRE CAUSES \$150,000 LOSS IN FINDLAY, OHIO

Seven Persons Trapped On Second and Third Stories
of Building Are Rescued By Firemen
Early Monday.

Findlay, O., May 7.—Fire of undetermined origin early today damaged the Kerr block here to the extent of \$150,000. Seven persons, sleeping on the second and third floors were rescued by firemen who helped them down ladders to safety. They were: Mrs. J. H. Andreas and her three children and Mr. and Mrs. George B. Crane and son, James.

The building is located in the heart of the business district and for a while it was feared the blaze would spread and endanger the entire heart of the city. However firemen aided by volunteers, brought it under control.

The Woolworth Five and Ten Cent Store and Mack Shoupes Shoe Store were the heaviest losers, their losses

probably exceeding \$50,000 each. The United Underwear Store, located in an adjoining building, suffered a heavy loss, also mostly from water.

The building located in a corner, was damaged to the extent of probably \$50,000.

The fire, it is believed, started in the Andreas kitchen on the third floor. Mrs. Andreas had been bedfast for the past month and her rescue was attended with thrills.

FIRE ALLEGED TO BE INCENDIARY IS FATAL TO ONE MAN

Two Are Probably Fatally
Injured in Chicago
Blaze.

Chicago, May 7.—On man was burned to death, two other men probably fatally burned and two more seriously burned in a fire believed to have been incendiary which early today destroyed a two story frame rooming house at Gary, Illinois, Chicago suburb. The police believe the fire may have been started to hide a murder.

The man known to be dead has not been identified as his body has not yet been recovered. It was exposed to view by the collapse of a wall.

Police officers said they could observe a great gash in the back of the man's head, unexplained since there are no fallen timbers near the body. The ruins were so hot that it was impossible to remove the body.

The two men reported dying, are Joseph Pasut and "Red" Dosen. Pasut was trapped on the second floor, severely burned, and jumped from a window.

Police placed under arrest a man who had been discovered fleeing from the house. He gave his name as Peter Kozak, 35, said to have been a boarder at the house. Kozak, according to Captain of Police Plummer, could give no satisfactory explanation of his reasons for fleeing from the burning building without making any effort to arouse its 24 other occupants.

FRANCE PLACES DEBT ISSUE UP TO THIS NATION

Refuses to Scale Down Ger-
many's Indemnity Unless
U. S. Acts.

WANTS ALLIES AIDED

Note Declares America
Must First Cut Down
Money Due Her

Washington, May 7.—The French refusal to scale down Germany's reparations—except on condition that the United States scale down the debt owing her by the allied powers—was delivered to the State Department here today for "the information and guidance" of the United States.

Officials after examining the Poincare note, contented themselves with saying that the French note called for no response from this government.

Inquiries concerning that part of M. Poincare's note which dealt with a positive cancellation of European indebtedness to the United States elicited only lifted eyebrows and amused smiles in official quarters.

"There apparently is only one string to the European harp," said one administration official, "That is cancellation of the indebtedness—and, twang it goes."

It was apparent that M. Poincare's suggestion failed to arouse sufficient interest on the part of administration officials to move them even to make reply or comment on it. The attitude of this government has been firmly fixed on the question of international indebtedness. It was said, and under no conceivable circumstances will there be any departure from the policy that reparations and money borrowed in the war have absolutely no relationships so far as the United States is concerned.

It was again emphasized that this government considers reparations to be primarily a European question and one that the United States is interested in only to the extent that it affects the general business and well being of the world. The question of war-time indebtedness is one that concerns the United States and the individual nations owing us, and is no part or parcel of the general European economic confusion.

In some quarters there was a disposition to look upon M. Poincare's note as another attempt to enlist the support of Germany in the general European scheme of writing off war debts as a scheme which would leave the United States the sole loser.

It was recalled that the first official suggestion in this respect came from the pen of Arthur James Balfour, nearly a year ago. It met with a cold reception in Washington. Apparently, officials said, Europe is traveling in a circle on reparations, and in the last year, M. Poincare has traveled around to arrive at the same point. Mr. Balfour was a year ago—that if America will cancel the billions owed her by European governments, then the allies may be able to do something for Germany.

COURSE IN CHURCH BUSINESS OFFERED

Columbus, O., May 7.—"A course in business administration of church affairs" is to be given at the Ohio State University summer school for pastors, under the auspices of the Ohio Council of Churches, from June 15 to July 5. Dr. Warren H. Wilson, director of church and country life work of the Presbyterian Board of Home Missions, and professor of rural psychology in Columbia University, will teach the course.

PADLOCK PROVISIONS INVOKED.

Cleveland, May 7.—Federal Judge Westernhaver granted temporary injunctions invoking the "padlock" provisions of the national prohibition laws against five liquor law violators as a result of bills of complaint filed by United States District Attorney Bernstein, asking that their places of business be closed on the ground that they were a "public nuisance."

CHARGE AGAINST BANK CLERK.

Cleveland, May 7.—W. A. Petre, 22, clerk in a branch of the Cleveland Trust company, admitted, bank officials state, that he took approximately \$42,000 from the bank vault, and hid the money beneath the garage at his uncle's home. The money was recovered. Petre was the hero in an attempted hold up the Bedford branch of the same institution in October, 1920, when he engaged several bandits.

MARKET IN PANIC AS SPURIOUS CHECKS ARE THROWN ON "STREET"

Amazing Attempt to Perpetrate Gigantic Fraud Shoots
Prices Up and Down—Seek to Locate
Schemers.

New York, May 7.—An amazing and almost unprecedented attempt to perpetrate a gigantic fraud on Wall Street, threw the market into a panic today, shot prices up and down in a zig-zaggy fashion and resulted in immediate action on the part of the American Bankers' Association to run down the men behind the scheme.

It was a brand new fraud and by its extreme daring virtually took the brokers in the "street" off their feet. It was in the form of an avalanche of

spurious checks, all arriving at the same time, and carrying the order to "buy."

The checks came from many cities in the East. At the same time, according to information here checks were sent to brokers in the Philadelphia stock exchange.

Brokers, on receiving the checks, accepted them as bona fide. Immediately a buying movement was under way. Prices shot up.

Suddenly the wildest excitement took place. Traders learned the checks were spurious. Hasty orders to counteract the buying orders were sent forth. Values immediately broke. The market was in a turmoil. Steel Corporation, one of the leading stocks in the market, dropped to a new low for the year. News of the "fake check" fraud was immediately sent to the American Bankers' Association. Fifteen investigators were put to work at once.

Investigators revealed that the fake letters and checks came from many cities. The letters were all on the same kind of paper. They had all been mailed Saturday afternoon apparently timed to arrive shortly after the opening of the market today.

They came from the following, among other cities:

Harrisburg, York, Allentown, Bethlehem and Reading, Pa.; Amsterdam, Schenectady and Utica, N. Y., North Adams and Pittsfield, Mass., and from towns and cities in other states.

Shortly after the discovery of the attempted hoax on Wall Street, the jokers brought in the news that members of the Philadelphia Stock Exchange had received similar checks and communications. The exchange, after sent out, officially, a warning to brokers calling attention to the fraud.

About New York brokerage houses turned their letters and fake checks over to the stock exchange authorities, who immediately began an investigation.

NURSE TAKES GIRL FROM BANDIT GANG



Mrs. Starr, 35 years old, is the British nurse attached to the Peshawar Medical Mission, in India, who went gallantly across the wild, mountainous country of Afridi, in the farthest western portion of India, to rescue Miss Mollie Ellis, daughter of a British army officer, who had been kidnapped by Afridi tribesmen who had killed her mother. Both returned unscathed.

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SENATOR FESS WILL SPEAK AT MEETING HONORING SHERMAN

Mansfield to Celebrate
Hundredth Anniversary
of His Birth

Mansfield, O., May 7.—With Postmaster General Harry S. New, Senator Frank B. Willis and Simeon D. Fess, Representatives Theodore Burton, William M. Morgan and John I. Cable and Colonel Ralph D. Cole as speakers, Mansfield will honor the memory of the late Senator John Sherman, Thursday on the hundredth anniversary of his birth.

The program will conclude in the evening with a dinner meeting at the Elks' auditorium, where Postmaster General New will deliver the principal address. In the afternoon, New and Senator Willis will speak to ten thousand Richland County school children at a mass meeting in the public square. Memorial exercises will be held also in the afternoon at the Sherman grave, where addresses will be made by Colonel Cole and Edwin G. Slough, of Mansfield. The Grand Army of the Republic will also have services at the cemetery.

The Sherman memorial event is being sponsored by the Richland County Republican Club.

LIGHTING PLANT EXPLODES.

Gallipolis, O., May 7.—Neal Rothgeb, 16, son of Postmaster Nathan Rothgeb of Cheshire, this county, was instantly killed when the lighting plant in the postoffice building exploded, while it was being tested.

KICKED BY HORSE.

Columbus, May 7.—Paul Culp, 10, suffered a fractured skull as result of being kicked near his left ear by a horse.

NOTED NEWSPAPER WRITER TO BE LAID TO REST WEDNESDAY

James W. Faulkner, who
Died Early Saturday Gets
Nation-wide Attention

Cincinnati, May 7.—The remains of James W. Faulkner, 60, political writer and dean of Ohio newspaper men, arrived here today from New York, where Faulkner died Saturday. His death, while not unexpected by his closest friends, came suddenly. He was stricken a week ago while attending a meeting of the Associated Press and National Newspaper Publishers. The cause was angina pectoris, and Mr. Faulkner had been aware for some time that he had not long to live. Funeral services will be held here Wednesday. Governor Donahue and other state officials are expected to be present. A committee from the Ohio Legislative Correspondents' association, which Mr. Faulkner founded, and of which he was president for a quarter of a century, also will attend.

Tributes were paid the deceased by President Harding, Governor Donahue, Senator Frank B. Willis, James M. Cox, James E. Campbell, Judson Harmon and many other notables.

INSTANTLY KILLED AS AUTO OVERTURNS

Toledo, O., May 7.—Ruby Pidgeon, 16, of Trilby, O., was killed when an automobile in which she was riding turned turtle into a ditch on the Secor road crossing here this morning. Harry Sprague, driver of the car, sustained minor injuries. According to Coroner Rentzler, Sprague failed to see the passenger train in time to avoid a collision and was going so fast he turned turtle into the ditch rather than hit the train.

DIES SUDDENLY

Newark, O., May 7.—Christian Ingram, aged 73, came here from his home in Lancaster, Ohio, last night. This morning his body was found in the home of friends in North Twenty First street, where he spent the night. Heart failure is given as cause of death.

SEEK WRECKERS OF TRAIN AND 300 CAPTIVES

Number of Desperadoes
Increased From 1,000
to 8,000.

FOREIGNERS TAKEN

Robbers Derail Train and
Surround Occupants
On Sunday

Shanghai, May 7.—Ten thousand Chinese troops today were in pursuit of the bandit army which derailed the Shanghai Peking express capturing 17 Americans and 12 other foreigners, including subjects of England, France, and Italy, on Sunday.

The bandit army had increased from the estimated 1,000 who wrecked the train and captured its passengers to 8,000, having been strengthened by additions of well-armed disbanded troops and notorious bandits.

Of the 300 passengers aboard the express train—one of China's crack trains—only six foreigners and 2 Chinese, escaped the bandit hand which surrounded the train as it lay on the tracks at a point in Shantung province selected by the bandit chieftains for the hold up.

Despite reports of the release of Miss Aldrich, no direct word has yet been received here from her. She is on a tour around the world from New York via India and had visited here ten days. She had intended going to Peking, Japan and then to Europe.

Despite the ultimatum of the bandits that the captives would be killed unless pursuit was abandoned, a great army has been gathered from four provinces to take part in the chase.

The Americans aboard the train included in addition to Miss Aldrich, Robert Scripps, American newspaper publisher, touring the Orient; Major Charles Bridge; a party of three by the name of Pratt; a Mr. Carpenter, Lloyd Lehrbas, former American newspaperman of Chicago; and J. B. Powell, former professor of Journalism at the University of Missouri, now a correspondent in China.

A relief train has been rushed from Tientsin and advised from Peking today stated that Schurman had left there for Shantung province to investigate the affair.

French, Italian and English consular officials have departed from here to the scene of the holdup in Shantung province.

The bandits with their captives are believed to be fleeing for Tushan Hu Lake, a wild rendezvous of outlaws, located in the mountains of South Shantung.

The bandit army which derailed the express train near Hsu Chow Fu Sunday morning, killing one foreigner and wounding six Chinese was made up of discharged Anhwei troops.

JUDGE SCORES DRY AGENTS IN CASE

Marion, O., May 7.—Scoring the dry prosecution for taking up the time of the court for bringing before him cases, "unsupported by a scintilla of evidence looking to a conviction," Judge Grant E. Mouser, in Common Pleas Court Saturday dismissed Peter Mounts and Earl Winslow, charged with violating the liquor law.

L. J. Brooks, state prohibition officer, who caused their arrests, admitted that he had been drinking and witnesses went so far as to testify that Brooks was inebriated.

WOMAN DIES AFTER SHE IS BADLY BURNED

Columbus, May 7.—Mrs. Marie Hergesell, 70, died in a hospital here today from burns she received when her home caught fire late last night, following an explosion caused by escaping gas.

Frank Peak, a neighbor, was also burned about the feet and body while attempting to put out the flames. His cries for help brought Patrolman A. A. Gaulke to the scene. The patrolman saved the aged Mrs. Hergesell from probably burning to death by dragging her from her bed, which was also on fire out through a window and onto a porch.

SAYS STILL IN OHIO IS EXTINGUISHED

Columbus, May 7.—According to State Director of Prohibition B. F. McDonald, arrests for violations of the liquor laws turned approximately \$175,999 into the public coffers of various counties, municipalities and townships in Ohio during April. His report shows 877 arrests with 432 convictions. More than \$500,000 was collected between Jan. 1 and May 1, he said. Enforcement officers say the still is practically extinct in Ohio.

ANNIVERSARY SALE

1863

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Our 60th Anniversary Sale
Not only a great purchasing event
but a great merchandising accom-
plishment.



1870



1880



1890

This Sale, with the great value giving
opportunities afforded, marks the
60th year of our steadily increasing
progress in business in this com-
munity.

60 YEARS of PROGRESS

SIXTY years of growth and
planning for bigger and
better things!

Sixty years of the kind of service that
makes friends and holds them

Starting out on a small, but
firm scale, it has been our earnest
endeavor, as we have enlarged from
time to time, to not only maintain



1920



1910



1900

our high standards in every way,
but to keep abreast of the times in
every possible channel, in merchan-
dising, in selling, and in service.

SIXTY years of fair dealing that has made our name a household
synonym for quality and reliability. A store that has served four
generations loyally and intelligently and has inevitably become a
part of the community!

IT HAS become an institution, enduring because it is in the fore-
front of every worthy movement, justly proud of its three-score
years of business.

A BIRTHDAY is a fitting occasion for strengthening old friendships
and forming new ones. Our Sixtieth Anniversary finds us even
more able than in previous years to give you the extraordinary
values for which our sales are famous."

The above is an announcement of the Sixtieth Anni-
versary Sale of the H. & S. POGUE CO., of Cin-
nati, Ohio, who are also celebrating their 60 years
of Progress, this month

We feel that our store and merchandise form a connection to Xenia
and vicinity analogous to the great House of Pogue to its community,
and we can also feel justly proud of our achievements,--of our friendships
of the older generations, of our fine patronage of the present day

60th Anniversary Sale

May 10th to May 19th

Exceptional offerings that will make this
Sale unique, will be announced from day
to day thro the columns of the press

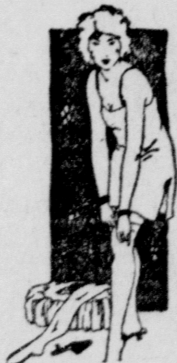
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Sale of

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DRESSES CAPES
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KNIT UNDERWEAR
MUSLIN UN'DWR
PHILIPINE U'DWR
SILK LINGERIE
REGULAR AND
STOUT CORSETS
BOYS CLOTHING
INFANT'S WEAR



60th
ANNIVERSARY
Sale of

WOOL AND SILK
DRESS GOODS
WASH FABRICS
BED LINENS
GLOVES, HOSIERY
GIM'HMS, P'RCLES
LONCLOTHS
MUSLINS
JEWELRY, NOTIONS
TOILET GOODS
ART GOODS, LAMPS
FLOOR COVERINGS
CURTAINS
DRAPERIES
CHINA, GLAS'WARE
STOVES
REFRIGERATORS



Personal and Society

THE NICEST courtesy you can show your guests is to have their visits mentioned on this page. The nicest courtesy you can show your friends is to let them learn of your visit through this page whenever you go away. The Gazette and Republican consider it a courtesy whenever you turn in an item of any kind. PHONE 76.

LUNCHEON PARTY AT KELLY HOME SATURDAY.

A profusion of fragrant spring blossoms artistically arranged throughout the rooms, formed lovely decorations, redolent of the spirit of spring-time, at the luncheon given Saturday at one o'clock by Mrs. Rachel Kelly at her home on North King Street. Masses of red-bud, dogwood, apple blossoms and the yellow kerria were effectively used.

In the receiving line with Mrs. Kelly were three visitors who were warmly welcomed by the guests, Mrs. LeRoy Tebb, of New York, Mrs. Kelly's house guest, Mrs. Anne Danforth, of Chicago, and Mrs. William Kenyon, of New York.

A delicious three-course luncheon was served, the place cards being in the form of May-baskets. Places were laid for thirty-four.

Following the luncheon, bridge and five hundred were enjoyed. The affair was, in every detail, one of the most beautiful and enjoyable social events of the spring season.

FESS-DIVEN WEDDING SOLEMNIZED MONDAY

The marriage of Miss Mildred Fess, of Springfield, and Mr. Charles Summer Fess, son of Senator and Mrs. S. D. Fess of Yellow Springs, was solemnized in Springfield, Monday morning at 10 o'clock, at the residence of the Central M. E. Church, the Rev. Mr. Houston, officiating.

The service was very simple, only members of the two immediate families witnessing the ceremony. Mrs. Cheetham, of Cincinnati, sister of the bride, was matron of honor, and Mr. Lowell Fess, brother of the bridegroom, acted as best man. The bride's costume was of grey crepe, and she carried bride's roses. Mrs. Cheetham wore black lace. Miss Diven, sister of the bride, and Senator and Mrs. Fess were the only other witnesses.

Mr. and Mrs. Fess left immediately on their honeymoon trip, and on their return will reside at 1523 Paris road, Springfield.

ISSUE DANCE INVITATIONS.

Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Bryan, have issued invitations for a dance to be given by them at the Elks' Lodge Hall, Tuesday evening, May 15th.

Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Kelley of South Galloway Street, are moving Tuesday from the Dines Apartments to the Apartment vacated by Mr. and Mrs. John A. Beatty, in the Lillian Block.

Mrs. Austin Patterson will entertain the members of the Travel Club at her home on North King Street Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Caleb Osborn and family, of South Vienna, Ohio, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Tullis, of West Third Street.

Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Anderson, of Winchester, Virginia, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Yeakley of South Chestnut Street. Mr. and Mrs. Anderson are enjoying their honeymoon trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Whitmer, Mrs. Nelle Schuster, Misses Helen Boyd and Bertha Gardner drove to Columbus Sunday where they spent the day with friends. Mr. and Mrs. Whitmer and Miss Gardner spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Hart and Miss Boyd and Mrs. Schuster were with Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Dillon.

Professor and Mrs. William Johnston, Miss Cyrena Johnson of Cincinnati and Messrs. James Herr and Harold Rhodes of Middletown, were the guests over the week-end of Mr. and Mrs. Karl Keller of Hill Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Coates of South Miami Street, are announcing the birth of a son, born Monday morning. He has been named Lawrence, Junior.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Beatty moved Monday from their residence on South Galloway Street, to the property of Mr. John McClain on North Detroit Street.

Mrs. Mable Dinwiddie, and daughter, Miss Martha, and son Rue, of Dayton, were Sunday guests of Mrs. Dorothy Dinwiddie, and family of South Galloway Street.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Golden, Mrs. W. H. Tatean of Cincinnati, Mrs. John A. North, and Mrs. W. E. Eavey, have returned from the Reservoir, where they spent several days.

Mrs. Sarah Fifer of East Second Street, returned home Saturday from Florida, where she spent the winter.

Dr. and Mrs. N. T. Pavey and family, and Dr. and Mrs. A. B. Kester, attended the funeral services for Mrs. Kester's and Dr. Pavey's grandmother Mrs. G. W. Smith, of Leesburg, Ohio, held at Leesburg Sunday.

Mrs. Fred R. Keeler, of East Market Street, returned to this city Saturday, from Hillsboro, Ohio, where she spent the past several weeks with relatives.

Mrs. Dudley Creed, Mrs. P. D. Whitacre and Mr. John Whitacre of Lynchburg, Ohio, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Allen McClain of West Main Street, Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Meredith, of North King Street, has as her guest, Mrs. Anne Danforth, who is connected with the Eleanor Camp, in Chicago.

Mrs. LeRoy Tebb, of New York City arrived in this city Friday and is the guest of Mrs. Rachel Kelly of North King Street.

Mrs. M. Daniels and daughter, Miss Josephine, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Mullen and family, of East Second Street.

Mrs. Adeline Nordyke, of Blanche, is the guest of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Tullis, of West Third Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Gail Chambliss and daughter, Marion, and Miss Jean Chambliss, of Cincinnati, were weekend guests of Mrs. S. G. Chambliss, of West Third Street.

Mrs. Ella Nisonger, who has been nursing in Wilmington, for the past several weeks, has returned to this city, and has rented the property of D. E. Spahr, on East Main Street, and will remove there during the coming week.

Mr. Ralph Chambliss has returned from Sulphur Lick Springs, Ohio, where he spent several days.

Mrs. Thomas Fitzsimmons of Cincinnati avenue, was the guest over the week-end of her daughter, Miss Lelen, who is a student at Good Samaritan Hospital, Cincinnati. She also visited other relatives in that city.

Miss Lois Benbow, student at Ohio Wesleyan University, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Benbow of North Galloway Street.

Miss Meda Elliott, of Springfield, was the week-end guest of Miss Olive H. Huston, of North Detroit Street.

Mr. and Mrs. John Shadrach, and Miss Gladys Shadrach spent Sunday in Dayton, as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Shadrach and family. Little Jeanne Shadrach accompanied them home for a visit.

Mr. Abraham Lovell of Sandusky, Ohio, spent Saturday with friends in this city. Mr. Lovell was recently discharged from the Marine Corps, where he served four years.

Messrs J. W. Devilbiss, of Arkana, Ohio, and George Devilbiss of the Stevenson Road, spent the week-end at the home of Clarence Devilbiss, near Spring Valley.

Mrs. Paul Haulders of Marshall, Michigan, and Mrs. John Collar, of Battlecreek, Michigan, returned home Monday after spending four weeks with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Snodgrass of North Galloway Street.

Mr. Raymond Snodgrass returned to Denison University, Monday after spending the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Snodgrass. He is recovering from a dislocated ankle, received a week ago, in a college baseball game.

"Neighbors," a clever playlet by Zona Gale, will be given by the members of the Junior Woman's Club, at the home of Mrs. Mildred Prugh, Tuesday afternoon. The occasion will be the annual social meeting of the club, and is being anticipated by the members.

Isadore Hyman, student at the Ohio State University spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Hyman of East Market Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Ward M. Huston, of West Church Street, spent Sunday with friends in Springfield.

Mrs. E. S. Myers and son, Frank, returned home Sunday from Columbus, where they had spent a week with Mrs. Myers' parents, Judge and Mrs. Frank Rathmell.

Mr. John M. Davison, left Monday for New York City, on business.

Miss Marjorie Clark, has accepted a position at the Jobe Brothers Store.

Mr. and Mrs. George R. Kelly, of West Second Street, are spending several days at French Lick Springs, Indiana.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Kennedy, of North Collier Street, spent Sunday with relatives in East Monroe, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Curtis, of North Collier Street, spent Sunday as the guests of Mr. Curtis's relatives in Sabina, Ohio.

Mrs. J. G. Mitchell, of North Collier Street, returned home Monday from Columbus, where she was called last week by the illness of her daughter Mrs. C. T. Legg, who has now recovered.

Mrs. M. G. Jerrow, and three daughters, of Enon Valley, Pennsylvania, who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Bales, of West Third Street, for the past three weeks, returned to the East Monday.

Mr. Ralph Dillon, who took over the work of his father Mr. J. W. Dillon, of Columbus, who was severely injured four months ago, was in the city Monday on business. His father is much improved but it will be some time before he will be able to resume his work.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Miller and Miss Marie Elam left Monday morning for Russell's Point where they will spend two or three days on a fishing trip. They were accompanied as far as Huntsville by Miss Maud Voris who will visit with friends there.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Van Burger and family, and Mr. and Mrs. James Hull, of Dayton, spent the week-end in this city as to guests of Mr. and Mrs. Vinton Hull, of Elm Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Asa Price and family, of North West Street, went to Frankfort, Sunday where they were present at a birthday dinner given in celebration of the seventy-third birthday of Mr. Price's mother, Mrs. Alfred Price.

Rev. Ghas. P. Proudt left Monday morning for Chicago where he will be in attendance Tuesday at the meeting of the Board of Education of the United Presbyterian Church, and from there will go to St. Louis where he will present at the meeting of the Board of Managers of the Xenia Theological Seminary which will be held in connection with the commencement exercises. He expects to return home the last of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Miller, who have been living at the phosphate farm on R. R. No. 8, moved Monday to a farm on R. R. No. 17 out of Dayton where they will make their future home.

Eruce Ferguson, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ferguson of the Clifton pike, who has been quite ill for the last two weeks suffering from heart trouble, is now convalescing nicely.

DELEGATES RETURN FROM MEETING OF NAZARENE CHURCH

Delegates from the local Church of the Nazarene have returned from the annual assembly of the district which convened at Dayton, from last Tuesday to Sunday. The local delegates were Miss Cenia Green, Charles Hupman, and Lewis F. Drake. The sessions were held at the Central Reformed Church, Dayton, about 250 delegates registering during the series of meetings.

The Rev. Frank Watkin, pastor of the local Church of the Nazarene was elected secretary of the Board of Examiners of the Ohio district, which includes only the western part of Ohio, during the session. Delegates at the Dayton meeting voted to hold the mid-year preachers' meeting at Xenia next December, when Dr. R. T. Williams, of Kansas City, Missouri, is expected to preside. The meeting will bring about 75 ministers of the Nazarene Church to Xenia.

Carl Leach of the local church was elected to the annual assembly as member of the Advisory Board of the Ohio District at the meeting last week, while Mrs. B. H. Bottorff was elected alternate to the General Assembly, of the Church of the Nazarene, at Kansas City, next September. The Rev. Mr. Watkin was elected alternate to the Kansas City meeting, from the ministerial body, the delegates being chosen from other cities.

The following were elected as members of the Board of the local church recently: Mrs. Charles Hupman, Mrs. George Sutton, Mrs. J. M. Parks, Mrs. B. H. Bottorff, secretary, Mrs. William Freeland, Mrs. J. Houk, Mrs. H. L. Anderson, George Honaner, Lloyd Morgan, Carl Leach treasurer, Bert Dymond, and F. E. Way. The following were elected as trustees: George Sutton, J. M. Parks, Lewis F. Drake, Charles Hupman and H. L. Anderson.

The Rev. H. W. Welsh, of Franklin, Ohio, has been elected district evangelist, and will make Xenia his home. He expects to move to Xenia within the next month.

The Rev. C. R. Chilton, District Superintendent of the Church of the Nazarene, presided at the Dayton meeting, the program including a report of the accomplishments of the local church in the past year. The last twelve months have been the best in the history of the local church, according to the Rev. Mr. Watkin. Four revivals have been held during which scores have been converted.

There has been a net increase of 20 in membership, making the total enrollment to date of 49. At the Wednesday and Friday evening prayer meetings, there has been an average of 35 present. The Sunday School has grown from 35 to 75 members in the past year.

Six thousand dollars and seventy-six cents have passed through the treasury, which includes funds raised for all purposes. The Rev. Mr. Watkin made 500 pastoral calls.

NAMES RECEIVER

Dayton, May 7—Attorney Earl H. Turner was named receiver of the Davis Sewing Machine Company, a Delaware corporation with its principal place of business in Dayton, in an order handed down by Federal Judge John E. Sater, in Dayton today. His bond was fixed at \$100,000.

Appointment of a receiver followed the filing of a creditor's bill by The Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing Company, East Pittsburgh, Pa., claiming an account due exceeding \$3,000,000 to the Westinghouse and other companies. Approximately \$2,400,000 is indebtedness on mortgage bonds and approximately \$600,000 represent current liabilities to come due within the next 30 days.

The company has an authorized capital stock of \$10,000,000 in preferred stock and 150,000 shares of common stock. The receivership is an operating receivership and the court order provides that business shall be continued without interruption. All employees will be retained.

EMBEZZLEMENT CHARGED.

Bellefontaine, O., May 7.—D. D. Simons, who operates collection agencies in Lima, Springfield and Bellefontaine, was convicted on a charge of embezzlement here. An indictment charged Simons wrongfully retained funds collected from Bellefontaine merchants.

TO HONOR O'CONNOR.

London, May 7.—All parties in the house of commons have decided to honor T. P. O'Connor in recognition of his forty-three years of service as an Irish nationalist member. A luncheon will be given on May 15, which will be attended by scores of members of the house of lords.

LODGE AND BUSINESS NOTICES

Get it at Donges.

Scion of Wealth Enters Movies



Park Benjamin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Romain Benjamin, of New York, and first cousin to Mrs. Enrico Caruso, is the latest scion of society and wealth to become obsessed with the idea that he is a good film actor. He has deserted the banking business for the screen.

STABS WOMAN IN THEATER—JEALOUSY GIVEN AS MOTIVE

Audience Joins in Hunt for Knife Wielder—Girl Will Recover

Covington, Ky., May 7—While a thrilling plot depicted on the silver sheet at the Rialto Theatre, Madison avenue, last night, held the attention of the spectators in the darkened house a drama of real life was being unfolded among them, with heroine, villain and the inevitable pursuit.

At the piano sat Mrs. Marie Pruett, 25, residing at 3086 Henshaw avenue, Cincinnati. As she played softly, a man crept stealthily down the aisle toward her. Reaching the front of the house he drew a knife and attempted to stab her in the heart.

The pianist screamed and blocked the thrust with her arm, then leaped from her seat to the stage. Blood trickled from her arm as she vanished into the flies, the man close behind her.

When the dazed spectators were able to think and the manager had turned on the lights, a crowd of men started to catch the stranger. Mrs. Pruett was taken to St. Elizabeth's Hospital. Two hours later police arrested, two blocks away, a man answering the description received of the pianist's assailant.

At headquarters he gave his name as George Pruett, 34, husband of the stabbed woman. A knife was in his pocket. He was held on a charge of having out with intent to kill.

Jealously is said to explain the case.

FINED ON CHARGE OF VIOLATING LAW

John Landak, convicted of violating the liquor laws was fined \$900 and costs by Magistrate J. E. Jones at his hearing early Monday morning.

Landak and his father, Conrad Landak, were arrested at the former's chicken farm on the Kemp Road Beaver Creek Township, near the Montgomery County line Friday night by Sheriff Morris Sharp and Deputies John Baugh and George Spencer.

The charge against Conrad Landak was dismissed on evidence showing that he did not make his home at the farm and had no interest in a 750 gallon still which authorities say was found in the cellar of his son's home.

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COURT NEWS

TWO SEEK DIVORCES.

Two new applications for divorce are on file with Clerk of Courts Harvey Elam. Charles McKinney is seeking a separation from Myrtle McKinney, whom he married April 17, 1920, on a charge of wilful absence for more than three years.

Raymond Williams was convicted of forgery in the Common Pleas Court of Sangamon County, Illinois, in the October, 1917, term and is now serving a one to 14 year sentence in the Illinois State Penitentiary, according to Marie Williams in her petition for divorce. They were married May 29, 1916. The plaintiff wants restoration to her maiden name.

PLAINTIFF GETS JUDGMENT.

The D. L. Carpenter Company has been awarded a judgment amounting to \$295.10 on two promissory notes against G. W. Craig, doing business as The Craig Auto Top and Luggage Shop, in Common Pleas Court. Miller and Finney were attorneys for the plaintiff and L. T. Marshall entered appearance for the defendant and confessed the judgment.

WIFE GETS DIVORCE.

Cora G. Hamilton has been awarded a divorce decree in Common Pleas Court from Ray Hamilton on a charge of gross neglect of duty.

JUDGMENT IS ALLOWED.

The Dayton Power and Light Company has been awarded a judgment in the sum of \$1,800, plus interest, making a total of \$1,734.00 against The Village of Osborn, on a bill for service for one year.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Clarence B. McDonnell 7217 Euclid Ave., Cleveland, student, and Hattie Butler, Wilberforce.

Stanley Edwards, Jamestown carpenter, and Thelma Faulkner, Paintersville.

License was refused Jesse Lee Leavelle, 128 Spring St., Columbus, and Katie Belle Davis, 618 Oakwood Ave., Columbus because of non-residence.

ed a vocal duet by Laura Copsey and Florence Hartsack. A selection was given by a male quartette, followed by the Girls' Glee Club, which gave one number.

BACCALAUREATE SERVICES ARE HELD

Baccalaureate exercises for the graduates of the Spring Valley High School, were held at the Methodist Episcopal Church at Spring Valley, Sunday evening, the Rev. T. C. Walley, pastor of that church, delivering the principal address. The Rev. Mr. Walley took for his subject, "The Fruit of the Spirit," and delivered an interesting discourse to the members of the class and school patrons attending the exercises.

The program of the evening included

TRAIN STRIKES BUS.

Newark, O., May 7.—Mr. and Mrs. Roy Glass were seriously injured and seven others slightly hurt when a Pennsylvania railroad yard engine crashed into a city auto bus at a crossing here. There were 15 passengers in the bus when the accident occurred. The entire rear end of the machine was torn away.

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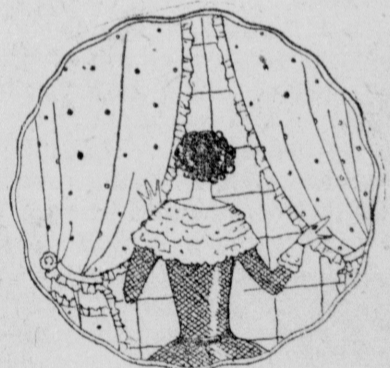
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THE GIFT OF "VISION," AS SEEN BY JOHN R. MOTT.

Probably no other living American has influenced and inspired more young men than John R. Mott. He is executive head of the International Young Men's Christian Association. Dr. Mott was born in Livingston Manor, New York, and he is fifty-eight years old. He was graduated from Cornell University in 1888. During the late war he was the most important single figure in the direction of religious activities among the soldiers of the American Expeditionary Force. He is a brother-in-law of Prof. W. W. White, formerly of Xenia, his wife being a sister of Prof. White.

Article by Bruce Barton: With a man whose name I do not know, said Mr. Mott, I sat on the observation platform of a transcontinental train while the glistening rails unwound themselves behind us across the surface of the Great Salt Lake—a roadbed of solid rock, as disdainful of the angry little waves on either side as a giant snapped at by puppies. They had fought a game battle, those waters; for many months they scattered and hid the rock as fast as loaded freight trains could haul it; mockingly they tossed themselves at the puny men who should have known better than to try to do a thing which could not be done.

As often as the men were beaten, they returned with bigger locomotives and trains more heavily loaded, until finally the mocking laughter died out of the waters and sullenness settled on them. Up through the surface the roadway pushed its huge shoulders, and stayed; the waves still snarl and snap, but the fight is gone out of them. The rock alone they might have conquered; the thing they could not conquer is harder than rock—the will of a man who, seeing in his mind's eye the job already completed, will not rest until it is complete.

My companion on the platform tossed his cigar into the lake, thrust his hands into his pockets and took a deep breath.

"Always like to come back by this route," he exclaimed. "Sort of stiffens your backbone to think of that little chap Harriman. Everyone told him he couldn't build his railroad across the lake; but he went ahead and built it. All they saw in the road anyhow was a couple of streaks of rust. He saw the West, and he invested every penny he could beg or borrow. Anybody else could have bought the stock at the same price he paid; all it needed was Vision."

"I wish you would talk about some of the Men of Vision you have known," said Mr. Barton to him. "And tell me one thing, particularly: Is this mysterious quality something that only one in a million can possess—a gift, like rich parents, or talent for music? Or is it latent in average folks, needing only to be recognized and fostered? How do you discover it in the men you employ? Who was the first man you met who had it in unusual measure?"

It was a good fire and the chairs were comfortable. I threw on another log and turned out the lamp. Somehow, firelight seemed appropriate for a talk about Vision. How many men, I wondered, have dreamed dreams and conquered empires in front of an open fire?

"I don't have to hesitate over your last question," Doctor Mott began. "The first man of really great vision whom I knew well was Dwight Lyman Moody. You do not hear his name so frequently these days, for events move fast and even outstanding men are quickly forgotten; but I think I could undertake to guide you to at least a hundred cities in this country and point out some beneficent institution, or influential man, or group of influential men, as living proofs of the vision of D. L. Moody."

"You remember his story. When he was four years old his father died, leaving nine children. The little stony farm was mortgaged and the creditors took everything, even the kindling from the wood pile. Dwight was tossed about from pillar to post, receiving a very meager schooling—he was never a scholar in any sense—until, at the age of seventeen, he was offered a place in a store on condition that he attend church and Sunday school regularly. The part of Boston where he lived was dense and dirty, filled with ragged youngsters. It was not long until Moody had recruited a corps of them as a Sunday school class, and in that crowd of rough-talking, hard-hitting young rowdies Moody found his vision. From that day he lost his enthusiasm for making money and became an enthusiast about men. Having saved a thousand dollars, he resigned his job and went to work heart and soul in the mission he had established. You can easily imagine the consternation of his relatives and practical advisers.

"Your thousand dollars will be gone in no time," they exclaimed; as, indeed, it was.

"Never mind," replied Moody. "I am working for God, and He is rich."

HE HEARD LINCOLN'S GREAT COOPER INSTITUTE SPEECH

George Henry McKee of Darlington, N. C., writes: "The writer was a boy of nine years of age, in 1860, and being the son of a father who became a delegate to the convention at Chicago which nominated Lincoln and Hamlin and living in New York City (my birth place) at the time, you can believe that I was an exceedingly enthusiastic 'kid.' The campaign in New York was a warm one. I didn't miss a torch-light or a wide-awake procession while the campaign lasted. Mr. Lincoln, in the early part of 1860, had been invited to speak at the Cooper Institute and my father had assured me that he would take me to hear him, but I was fearful that if I waited until night I might not be able to get into the auditorium, or might get crushed in the crowd that would be clamoring and crowding to obtain admission, so I decided to 'put one over' on the crowd and when school was dismissed that day at 3 o'clock I went direct to the Institute. I was in time all right and waited patiently for the doors to open. My seat was in the third or fourth row from the front. The place was packed to the doors. During Mr. Lincoln's speech, kid-like, I began to 'take him apart' and this was the result: I saw a long, lanky man whose clothes seemed to hang on him, his eyes were sunken, his cheek-bones prominent, his ears large as was his mouth. There were periods when his features took on a look of sadness and one which impressed me with the thought that the speaker was, or had been, in deep trouble and was 'carrying a cross.' I thought that the homeliest man that I had ever seen was before me and then there were, after long periods, times when his features would lighten up, his eyes brighten and, as far as his face was concerned, I was looking at a different man. Five years later, when the body of the martyred President was lying in state on the upper floor of the City Hall of New York, I again looked at his face, but alas his great heart that had always beat for humanity and justice, and the hand that had held the pen that released a race from bondage, were forever stilled."

THEY DO SAY THERE WAS ONCE A FOOLISH LITTLE DOG SEEING THE MAGNIFIED REFLECTION IN THE WATER DROPPED HIS BONE TO GO AFTER THE BIGGER ONE, AND THUS LOST BOTH



1903--Twenty Years Ago--1923

Dr. D. E. Spahr, of Clifton read a paper on the subject "A Day with a Country Doctor," at the meeting of the Greene County Medical Society yesterday.

An agent of Pawnee Bill's Wild West show was in this city today and was endeavoring to make arrangements for bringing the show to this city.

Mr. R. R. Grene and Auditor Coulman Dodds were in Springfield yesterday attending a meeting of the State race committee of the Miami Valley fair circuit for the purpose of considering the state race entries.

Master Willie Hallesy entertained twelve of his little school friends Thursday evening in honor of his birthday.



BEAUTY MAKING BATHS

There is no reason why a bath should be merely a cleanly wash. Bathing can be an aesthetic as well as a virtuous pleasure. Perhaps this is putting it in an exaggerated way—yet, why not? A luxurious bath takes no more time and need cost but little more than a plain soap and hot water one.

Perfumed bath crystals, in delightful shades of violet, green and orange, are nice to use, but expensive.



sive. They are really only salt and soda and scent. You can imitate them, if you like, by mixing together two-thirds of coarse household salt and one-third of bicarbonate of soda. A handful of this mixture in the tub softens the water just as well, though it has no perfume. The scent you would have to supply with ordinary toilet water. If you keep this preparation in an attractive bowl, it will be as decorative in the bathroom as the colored crystals. If you have any tendency to rheumatism, use epsom salts in place of the soda. These mixtures make the water delightfully soft and, of course more cleansing. Oatmeal bags are messy to use and rather a nuisance to prepare, but they will make the bath water nice, and they will whiten and soften the skin. A couple of tablespoonsful in a cheese cloth bag, tied with a bit of ribbon and dropped into the hot water, is sufficient. The bag should be squeezed to force out the milky fluid from the meal, and thrown away afterward. If you make up a dozen of these at a time, it wouldn't

be so much of a nuisance. Toilet vinegar added to the water makes a stimulating bath, too.

Anxious Jane—I am afraid that I might influence you in parting with that lovely head of hair; however, if you do decide to cut it I know that thick, wavy, dark hair on an 18-year-old girl is very attractive indeed. I agree with you that it is easy to shampoo and I am sure that it will be very becoming.

Blondy—The bleach injured the texture of your hair, but the new hair will be all right if you do not repeat the offense. Any of the curlers that do not require heat will be all right to use. I will be glad to send you a formula for a hair tonic if you send a s. a. s. e.

H. G. G.—To have deep circles under the eyes all the time, as you say you have, would indicate that your health is not at its best. Consult your doctor.

Tomorrow—Answered Letters

5 % INTEREST

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Do not go well together. Why raise both in the same building? We have the spray that kills the Parasite. Disinfects. Cleanses. Purifies. Protect your fowls.

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THE GAZETTE And THE REPUBLICAN Information Box

All questions asked by our readers will be answered in this column. Medical and legal subjects are barred. Address all queries to "Information," this paper.

READER—You are right. Mistletoe has been proved to be injurious to growing trees, and already action is being taken by the Department of Agriculture to destroy the parasite in the Northwest.

John A. L.—The paper you speak of, that can be washed with soap and water in a tub, was invented by a Japanese.

Thyra—The corrosive power of salt water may be estimated by the fact that cast iron that had been covered by salt water for a century, when first brought into the air, could be cut with a knife.

To Cure a Cold in One Day

Take

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Bromo Quinine

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The tonic and laxative effect of Laxative BROMO QUININE Tablets will fortify the system against Influenza and other serious ills accruing from a Cold.

The box bears this signature

E. W. Shon

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Today's Talk

I hardly think there are two words more opposed than the two little words above—love and fear.

The one always building, the other always tearing down. Love, the light which guides us all like a star—fear, always trying to pull us out of this light into darkness.

Love always warning, fear always chilling us to the very marrow of our bones.

It is the love of life, of nature, of beauty, of friends, of books that enables us to see the futility of fear.

From the day that I read God was love, I wanted to know Him—to love Him.

It is in the Bible somewhere the statement is made that "perfect love casteth out fear."

We are unafraid when we love much.

The more I love the trees, the rocks, the flowers of the field, and

all the many marvelous manifestations of Nature, the less I am afraid of the tempests of Nature in its storms and stresses.

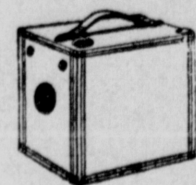
When we look some great test in the face and say to ourselves: "Ah, but I am not afraid!" then it is that strength rises within us to bear us through. Its love that does it. Fear can bring nothing but prostration.

If you love your work, it matters not what that work is, it's a vital part of you—it forms and fashions what you are, what you most desire. If you love enough, you can wipe fear from your life.

PROTEST AGAINST DRY SHIP RULING.

Copenhagen, May 7.—Important Danish merchants' commercial associations have jointly sent a protest to the foreign ministry against the "dry ship" decision of the United States supreme court.

Gifts For All



164 Things Free

There are 164 gifts you can get with coupons from Mother's Oats packages. Silverware, linen, cooking utensils—things for men, women and children.

We will send you ten coupons free with our Premium List if you write for it at once. That will mean a fine start toward a gift.

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The oat is for children the greatest food that grows. It supplies 16 needed elements. It has the minerals they need.

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Cut out this offer so you won't forget. Only 10 coupons free to a home. Address: Mother's Oats, 80 E. Jackson St., Chicago

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The Stout Coal Co

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Xenia, Ohio.

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WHEN you borrow money with which to buy or build a home you are taking an important step. There are many intricate problems to work out.

The officials of this institution are experts in this work. Before seeking a loan why not counsel with us? Very likely we can save you money.

The Home Building & Savings Co

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AMERICAN LEGION RAISING FUND TO DECORATE GRAVES

Joseph P. Foody Post, No. 95, American Legion, Monday began a campaign to raise its quota in the national drive being made by the Legion to raise a Graves Endowment Fund of \$100,000 before May 30 to be used to decorate the graves of American Soldiers in France.

Although no quota has been set for the Xenia territory, Legionnaires in charge of the campaign expect to assist the national organization in raising a sum expected to greatly exceed the amount set. Preliminary drives held by other posts indicate when the national totals are in considerably more than \$100,000 will have been obtained.

The Xenia drive is in charge of a committee consisting of Earl Short, chairman, Ohmer Tate and Earl Spahr and the Legion Auxiliary is lending aid to the project. With the beginning of the campaign Monday, boxes were placed in banks and business houses where those interested may contribute. Committee members believe that Xenia will give its share if the donations are an average of ten cents each.

An appeal to churches to assist in the movement, was answered first at the Union Service held Sunday night, when the special collection for the fund taken up of the joint services of the First Presbyterian, Trinity M. E. and Reformed Churches resulted in \$10.03 being contributed as a nucleus for the fund. Other churches have promised to take up similar collections next Sunday.

The campaign will be conducted during this week and the boxes will remain in conspicuous places as memento to friends of the fallen soldiers during that time. Especial arrangements for the close of the drive Saturday have also been made. Girl Scouts have been enlisted by the Legion to sell poppies on the streets Saturday afternoon to benefit the fund and Saturday night, Legionnaires will continue the poppy sales.

In announcing the Graves Endowment Fund, the American Legion Weekly in a recent issue said: "The American Legion has pledged eternal memory to more than 32,000 comrades-in-arms, fellow veterans of the World War, whose bodies will rest forever in the soil of Europe. It is a duty of honor—the duty of seeing that 32,000 graves be held forever as sacred American ground. It is an obligation that cannot be measured in years—it extends on into time that can only be measured by the life of the republic."

The money will insure that the overseas graves will be decorated on every Memorial Day of the future. Every contribution of \$1 or more will be acknowledged in the American Legion Weekly. It was for one of these fallen heroes resting now in a grave in France that Joseph P. Foody Post was named.

SPORTS

TENNIS MATCHES RESULT IN TIE

M'DONNELL TWIRLS BAYLIFF S TO WIN OVER BOWERSVILLE DAYTON DEFEATS ANTIOCH NINE

HOW THEY STAND

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Club	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
New York	14	5	.737
Chicago	10	9	.526
Pittsburgh	10	9	.526
St. Louis	10	9	.526
Boston	9	8	.529
Cincinnati	8	11	.421
Philadelphia	6	10	.375
Brooklyn	6	12	.333

Club	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Philadelphia	10	10	.500
Brooklyn	10	10	.500
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Club	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Pittsburgh	10	10	.500
Cincinnati	10	10	.500
Bagby, Carlson, Hamilton and Schmidt; Luque, Donohue and Wingo, Hargrave.			

Club	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Chicago	2	0	1.000
St. Louis	4	0	1.000
Osborne, Cheevers and Hartnett; Pfeffer and Ainsmith.			

Club	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
New York	11	7	.611
Detroit	11	7	.611
Cleveland	11	8	.579
Philadelphia	8	8	.500
Boston	7	10	.412
Washington	7	10	.412
St. Louis	7	10	.412
Chicago	7	10	.412

Club	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Philadelphia	0	0	0.000
New York	0	0	0.000
Rommel and Perkins; Jones, Mays and Hoffman.			

Club	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Boston	0	0	0.000
Washington	0	0	0.000
Murray, Ferguson and Pleinleh; Johnson and Ruel.			

Club	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Detroit	0	0	0.000
Chicago	0	0	0.000
Pilette, Francis and Woodall; Robertson and Seale.			

Club	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
St. Louis	0	1	0.000
Cleveland	0	1	0.000
Vangilder, Danforth, Wright, Priett and Severed; Morton, Smith and Myatt.			

Club	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Louisville	12	5	.706
Columbus	9	4	.692
Columbus	11	7	.611
St. Paul	8	7	.533
Milwaukee	8	9	.471
Toledo	8	10	.444
Minneapolis	7	10	.412
Indianapolis	5	14	.263

Club	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Milwaukee	8	11	.421
Columbus	4	10	.286
Toledo	7	10	.412
St. Paul	7	10	.412

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PA'S SON-IN-LAW—The Chink is a Wonder

By WELLINGTON



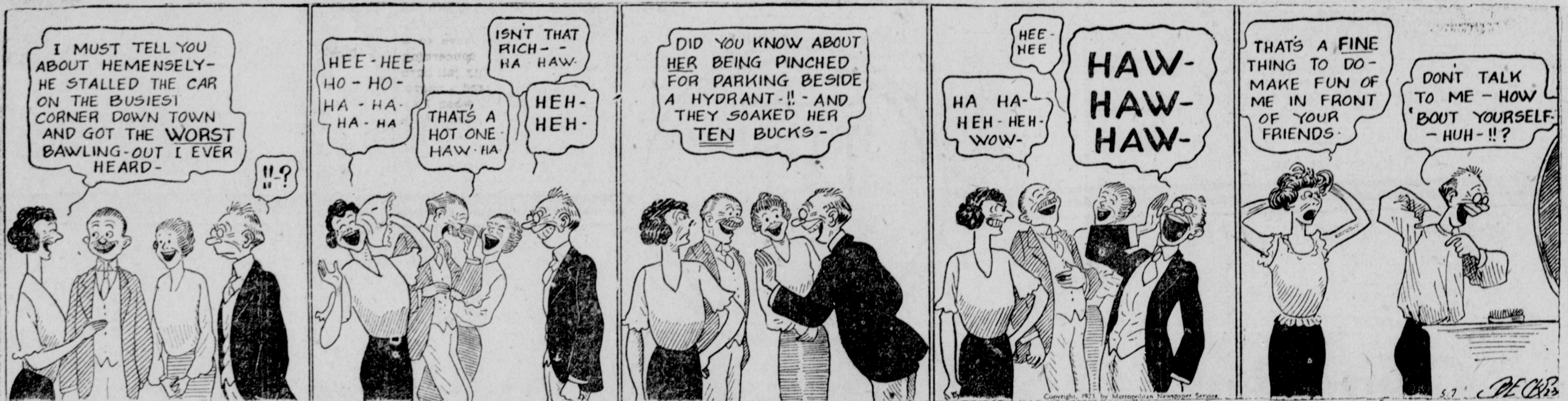
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BILLY'S UNCLE—You Can't Always Tell by the Ears

By BEN BATSFORD



MINUTE MOVIES

By WHEELAN

<p>ANS. DEPT.</p> <p>AGILITY - SHOULD HAVE ANSWERED YOUR QUESTION LONG AGO... YES!</p> <p>CHARLES W. JR. - THE PARTS YOU REFER TO WERE JUST PLAYED BY "EXTRAS" DICK DARE'S HAIR IS BLOND.</p> <p>KATE S. - ENJOYED YOUR POEM - MAYBE YOU ARE RIGHT</p> <p>GWENDOLYN M. - SORRY BUT THE CHANGES YOU SUGGEST ARE IMPOSSIBLE AT PRESENT</p> <p>A.E.R. (GERRY) IT'S HARD TO SAY WHAT WILL HAPPEN</p>	<p>M.S.V.P. - PLEASE SEND SOME - MY GOOD WISHES TO YOU & YOUR FRIENDS</p> <p>LEIGH F. - CALM YOURSELF - NO, NEITHER MISS DEARIE OR MISS EDGE WERE WICKS</p> <p>SOPHIA WISLE H. - HAZEL D. SAID TO THANK YOU FOR YOUR NICE NOTE</p> <p>SETH H.T. - WE DO NOT PAY FOR SPOONBOOS</p> <p>MURRIS D. - YOURS SOME BOOSTER FOR THE "JUNKING KID" - GLAD YOU LIKE HIM</p> <p>HELEN R. - MR. HOKUM RECEIVED YOUR LETTER BUT REGRETS THAT HE CANNOT USE R.D.</p>	<p>IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT TO MINUTE MOVIE FANS.</p> <p>DUE TO THE TROUBLE WITH MR. DARE, AND TO THE FACT THAT VICTOR SCHEEK WAS UNABLE TO REACH HOLLYWOOD IN TIME, NEXT WEEK'S RELEASE WILL UNFORTUNATELY LACK A LEADING MAN - BUT HAZEL DEARIE, RALPH M'SNEER, AND BLANCHE ROUGE WILL POSITIVELY APPEAR - ALSO - ONE OTHER STAR, WELL-KNOWN TO YOU ALL.</p>
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<p>POST NO BILLS</p> <p>FULLER PHUN, THE SLAP STICK COMEDIAN OF THE WHEELAN FORCES, DOFFS HIS RED WIG AND PLAYS ONE OF THE PRINCIPAL PARTS HIMSELF HE WILL BE SEEN AS BILL BUNGLE, THE BURGLAR, IN THE NEW FIVE EPISODE SERIAL...</p>	<p>THE HAZARDS OF HAZEL</p>	<p>GOSH - DON'T MISS AN EPISODE, FOLKS !!!</p>
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Lost and Found

LOST large envelope, April 26, between Post Office and Citizens Nat. Bk. Return to bank and receive reward. 5-7

LOST Hand bag, at the Traction office, Thursday. Finder leave at Traction office and receive liberal reward. 5-7

Wanted to Rent

WANTED TO RENT by June 1st, 6 room, modern house, 2500-2600. 5-7-8-9

Wanted to Buy

WANTED WOOL, WOOL, wool paying highest prices. Call the DeWine Milling Co., Phones 154 and 684. 5-8

WILL BUY books of all kinds, fiction, history, etc., whole libraries, or small lots and postal and buyer will call. Myer Book Store, 321 E. 5th St., Dayton, O. 5-16

Wanted Female Help

WANTED Clerk, good salary, married, preferred. Apply immediately, Famous Cheap Store. 5-7-8

Wanted Dish washer and waiters

at Interurban restaurant. 5-7-8-9

GIRL WANTED at Xenia Candy Kitchen

5-5

Wanted Male Help

WAITRESS for Interurban restaurant. 5-7

WANTED Man for light porter work

good salary. Regal Hotel. 5-7-8-9

WANTED Young man 18 or 20, permanent position, good salary to start, apply at once, Famous Cheap Store. 5-7-8

WANTED AT once men at the Lampert Floral Co., Springfield Pike. 5-7

Wanted boy in New Burlington, New Jasper, Wilberforce, Alpha, Zimmerman, Osborn, Bowersville, and Xenia, to distribute papers. 5-7-8

Wanted man to work on farm, house furnished, good all year employment to right man. Reference required. H. H. Cherry, Federal Pike, Phone 400-12. 5-7

Wanted Male or Female Help 11

The J. R. Watkins Company will employ a lady or gentleman agent in Xenia. Watkins Products are known everywhere and our salespeople make big incomes. Investigate this opportunity. Full particulars and valuable samples sent free to hustlers who mean business. Write today. The J. R. Watkins Company, Dept. 38 Columbus, Ohio. 5-5-7-8-9

Wanted Dish washers and a cook at Elks' Club, Mrs. Harton, Phone 325-W, or 688. 7-8

Wanted Agents

SALESMEN You can make good money selling our product. Experience unnecessary. Get into business for yourself. Write today for particulars. Salesmanager, 493 Meridian Bldg., Cleveland, O. 5-7

Personal

WOULD YOU write a wealthy pretty girl? Stamped envelope please. Lois Sproul, Cleveland, Ohio. 5-15

For Rent Rooms

LARGE FURNISHED front room, has cold water, suitable for one or two gentlemen, reasonable, 120 South Galloway St. 5-7

FOR RENT furnished light housekeeping rooms. Scotsburn Apartments. Corner Main and West Streets. 5-12

FOR RENT Furnished room, 115 N. Detroit St. 5-7-8-9

FOR RENT Two furnished sleeping rooms, modern. 221 S. Detroit St. Phone 465-R. 5-7-8-9

FURNISHED room modern home-like conveniences, gentleman only. 120 South Galloway St. 5-10

FOR RENT Storage rooms in Gazette building. Inquire at Gazette office. 10-7-11

For Rent Houses

FOR RENT 6 room house with all modern improvements, comparatively new, \$30.00 per month. Xenia. Inquire at office of The DeWine Milling Co. 5-10

PRATT'S BUTTERMILK Chick Food. Get it at Dabb's Hardware Store. 5-31

FOR RENT How about a weeks vacation at (Shady Nook) summer cottage on Little Miami? Call the DeWine Milling Co. Phones 154 and 684. 5-8

FOR RENT FORGET your troubles and enjoy life at our new summer cottage along the Little Miami. Good beach for bathing and fishing. Call the DeWine Milling Co. Phones 154 and 684. 5-8

For Rent Farms

FOR RENT 147 acres for 3 years possession any time. Box 38 Harveysburg. 5-19

Service Stations

GABRIEL SNUBERS, perfect crows, piston rings, Stromberg carburetors, springs for all cars, connecting rod bearings, wrist pin bushings, everything for your car. Swigart Bros., Day and Night Service. 5-2714

For Sale Automobiles

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OAK CENTER stand, practically new, sold soon. Call 120 South Galloway St. 5-10

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For Sale Houses

FOR SALE 4-room cottage, built 9 months, bath, gas, electricity, cemented cellar, furnace, screens, nice lot 36x480. Easy terms, 602 N. West St. 5-10-11

For Sale Livestock

FOR SALE few beef cows to go on grass. Several with calves. H. S. Bailey, 5-215 Cedarville. 5-7

FOR SALE Duroc Boars, Lewis Frye, Xenia, Phone 4062-F-12. 5-7

For Sale Livestock

FOR SALE 14 Delane ewes with lambs by side, also 3 year old work mare. Phone 4074-F-3. 5-7-9

FOR SALE Duroc Boars, also gilts bred and open. Get your choice. W. A. Bickett. 5-9

FOR SALE 2 fresh cows, extra good ones. Geo. Crane, 4 miles out of Xenia on Columbus pike at east point school house. 5-8

FOR SALE Duroc Jersey Boars and gilts. Quality and price interesting to farmers. J. Earl McClellan, 5-9

FOR SALE Pure bred short horn bulls. Phone 4078-F-14. 5-12

For Rent Apartments

FOR SALE Fifty English White Leghorn hens. Phone 56-R. 4-8

DESIRABLE apartment, down stairs, central, modern, X. Gazette. 5-7

Cleaning, Renovating

WALL PAPER cleaning, J. A. Pace, 615 E. 5th Street, Phone 223-6. W. Xenia, Ohio. 5-10

Business Chances

CARL E. Smith buys and sells Stocks, Bonds, Mortgages, Notes. Loans of all kinds. Office 33 1/2 E. Main St. Phone 1088, or 23 W. 5-9

Farm Equipment

FOR SALE One 12 inch Casaday gang, one 12 inch Moline gang, one six horse Grey gasoline engine on truck. For plows and special hitchers. William Linton Harshbarger Co., Bowersville, Ohio. 4-2117

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TOM C. LONG, REAL ESTATE MAN We sell or buy your farm properties. We will loan you money. See us No. 19 South Detroit St., Xenia, Ohio. Both phones. 5-1-17

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FOR SALE Chick Milk Mash with dried buttermilk (saves the baby chicks \$1.35 for 25 lbs. save The DeWine Milling Co. Phones 154 and 684. 5-8

BARRED ROCK hatching eggs. Thompson Strain, Mrs. J. D. Ketter. Phone 4094-14. 5-6

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Legal Notice

Sealed bids will be received by the Board of County Commissioners of Greene County, Ohio, at the office of said Board of County Commissioners, Xenia, Ohio, until 12 o'clock noon of the 11th day of May, 1923, for furnishing the necessary labor and materials for the complete construction of about 2000 square yards of concrete paving on the main street between the intersection of said street having been determined by said Board of County Commissioners to be a continuation of the Jamestown and Springfield Pike, Inter-county highway No. 472. Said contract includes the construction of storm water sewers and cement curbs and gutters. Bids will be received on brick, wood block, and asphalt concrete, concrete, and asphalt concrete. Each bid shall contain the full name of every person or company interested in the same and shall be accompanied by bond to the satisfaction of said Board of County Commissioners, or certified check upon some Bank of Xenia, Ohio, said bond or check to be in a sum equal to Five per cent. of the amount bid, as a guaranty that if the bid is accepted a contract will be entered into and its performance properly secured. Checks of bidders whose bids are rejected will be forthwith returned. The check of the successful bidder will be returned upon execution of contract and securing same as aforesaid, otherwise to be retained by the said Board of County Commissioners. Copies of the survey, plans, profiles, and specifications, and specifications for such improvement are on file in the office of the said Board of County Commissioners, and copies of the specifications may be obtained from the Clerk of said Board of County Commissioners, said specifications being in printed form and containing instructions to bidders together with blank form of bid and other matters of importance to prospective bidders. Bidders are required to use the printed form, which will be furnished on application as above set forth. The right is reserved to reject any and all bids. BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF GREENE COUNTY, OHIO. By L. Steinfield, Clerk. 5-9

For Rent Miscellaneous

FOR RENT pasture running water, cattle only, call county 4006-R-3. 5-7

FOR RENT About twenty acres Blue Grass Pasture, call the DeWine Milling Co. Phones 154 and 684. 5-8

For Sale Miscellaneous

FOR SALE window baby car, 15 1/2 W. Market St. 5-8

FOR SALE small out house. Inquire at 119 North Detroit St. 5-7

CEMENT BLOCKS For sale. Save the difference and buy your blocks at 805 E. Main St. Reductions on large orders. Samuel Binam, 5-7-8-9

FOR SALE Combination gas and coal range for sale. Phone 407-R-2. 7-8-9-10-11-12

REFRIGERATOR for sale, John Harbino, Allen Building. 5-6

FOR SALE half dozen dining room chairs, A-1 condition. Enquire Mrs. Shoe Store. 5-8

FOR SALE numerous things as follows: cash register, furniture, bakeware for bake shop, saxophone, soda fountain, log wagon, beds and stove, lay bales, microscope, feed grinder, piano, pump, self binder, gasoline engine on truck, threshing machine and engine, automobiles, book case, check protector, and particular, John Harbino, Allen Building. 5-17

PRATT'S GROWING Mash. Get it at Dabb's Hardware Store. 5-31

TOMATO PLANTS For sale. Chas. Grandin, Phone 778-R. 230 High Street. 5-7-8-9

FOR SALE Hand-made window screens, various sizes, also window boxes. Phone 238-R. 5-7-8-9

100,000 Palmetto Asparagus plants. Grown on fertile soil under perfect cultivation, 125 for one dollar, by Fairfield Floral Farm, Lancaster, O. Almost every garden needs a dollar's worth or two. 5-1

JUST received car of Alpha Portland cement, price is right. C. O. Miller Elevator, Trebleton, Ohio. 4-2117

FOR SALE plants, salvia, aster, petunias, snap dragons, cabbage, tomatoes, pondeiros, June pinks, stocks and globe, marigolds, egg plant, pimientos, mangos, 1923 sweet potatoes, yams. Chas. Weiss, Lower Bellbrook Ave., Phone 659-R. 5-24

FOR SALE Second hand lumber sheathing, siding, 2x6x12 studs, roofing, slate, sheet iron, siding, kindling wood. Stiles Co. Phone 298. 5-7-8-9

FOR SALE WEST Virginia and Kentucky coal at \$7.75 ton now is a good time to lay some of this coal in for your next winters' supply. Call The DeWine Milling Co. Phones 154 and 684. 5-8

FOR SALE Pocahontas Lump Coal at \$9.95 ton will fill your next winter's requirements now while Pocahontas is available. The DeWine Milling Co. Phones 154 and 684. 5-8

JUST received, car load wire fencing all sizes, also lot of extra good locust posts. C. O. Miller elevator, Trebleton, Ohio. 3-1117

FOR SALE Pig and Hog Relish (makes those pigs grow) at \$2.50 cwt. The DeWine Milling Co. Phones 154 and 684. 5-8

FOR SALE plants, cabbage, tomatoes, mangos, pimientos, celery, sweet potatoes, salvia, aster, petunias, snap dragons, verbena, xinnias. R. O. Douglas, corner Washington and Monroe st., or Ervin Feed Store. 5-23

FOR SALE Red Steer Fertilizers (makes the corn grow) The DeWine Milling Co. Phones 154 and 684. 5-8

NOW'S THE TIME to have your plow shares, scraper blades, horse clips, and lawn mowers sharpened, before the busy season sets in. The Hockett-King Company, 415 E. Main St. 3-2117

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FOR SALE 5-passenger touring car, in good running order. C. S. Morgan, Phone Spring Valley 38F-5. 4-30-5-12

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Market News

LIVE STOCKS

PITTSBURGH LIVE STOCK.

Cattle—Supply, 1500; market, steady; choice, \$9.25@10; prime, \$9.35 @10; good, \$8.75@9.25; tidy butchers \$8.50@9.35; far, \$7@8; common, \$5@6; common to good fat bulls, \$5@5.50 common to good fat cows, \$2.50@4.50; heifers, \$7.50@8.25; fresh cows and springers, \$5.00@10.00; year calves, 1800 \$1 lower at \$10.50; heavy and thin calves, \$1@8;

Sheep and Lamb—Supply, 3000; market, steady; prime wethers, \$7.90 @8; good mixed, \$7.25@7.75; fair mixed, \$6.50@7; culls and common, \$3@4 lambs, steady at 13.25.

Hogs—Receipts, 900; market, 10c lower; prime heavy hogs, \$8.15@8.25; mediums, \$8.00@8.75; heavy yorkers, \$8.00@8.75; light yorkers, \$7.75@8.25; pigs, \$7@7

SCHOOLS OF SPRING VALLEY WILL CLOSE FRIDAY, MAY 11

Various events leading to the close of the Spring Valley Township schools, Friday, which are scheduled for this week opened Sunday evening with the baccalaureate sermon, delivered by the Rev. W. L. Valley of the M. E. Church, Spring Valley, to the High School graduates and their friends, at the M. E. Church.

The next affair, will be that of the annual class dinner, which will be enjoyed at the spacious country home of Miss Marie Squires, a member of the senior class, Tuesday evening.

Thursday evening, May 10, the graduating exercises will take place in the Spring Valley opera house. The class address will be given by Superintendent A. A. Maysilles, of Dayton.

The nine graduates are Miriam M. Smith, Sadie Moore, Winifred E. Penewit, Hazel M. Sellers, Edith Marie Squires, Margaret Mitchener, Charles Barley, Oran Turner, and Charles Barley. Music will be furnished by the Cosmopolitan Orchestra.

Mass day exercises will be held Friday afternoon, when all the schools of the township will unite to hold a gala day. The exercises will begin at 1:15 o'clock. The first feature will be the presentation of certificates of the Eighth Grade by Assistant County Superintendent of Schools, D. H. Barnes.

The Eighth Grade graduates are, Mildred Edwards, Catherine Noggia, Dorothy Conard, Marjorie Naydock, Leigha Stump, Edna Leaming, Hazel Nicholson, Rosie Moore, James Carback, Lester Robinson, James Peterson, Edith Miller, Doris Bogan, Ray Webb, Kathryn Van Pelt, Lewis Strain, Carl Shaw, Raymond Norris, Harold Hartsock, and Paul Shaw.

Following the Eighth Grade graduation exercises, 250 children of the public schools will present the cantata, "A Day in the Woods," under the direction of Professor W. R. Says, music director.

The completion of the new Spring Valley Township High School, building next fall, is being looked forward to with interest. A four-year High School course will be offered at the new building in September, outlining a First-Grade High School course in every particular.

U. S. NOTES OF 1790 FOUND IN OLD TREE

Canton, O., May 7.—Three hundred dollars in United States notes, a century and a third old, were found in the heart of an oak tree by Harry Smith and James McGhee, Augusta township farmers, when they cut down the aged monarch of the forest recently.

The money is believed to have been hidden away by army couriers in the early days of the American republic when hard pressed by Indian foes. The notes were found in a cavity, but as the air reached it the paper crumpled into dust, although a fragment, showing the date of the bills—1790—remained.

Authorities upon ancient currency said that if care had been exercised the thirty \$10 notes found would have been worth at low estimate \$1,000 apiece, and collectors might even have bid higher.

The theory entertained is that the money was sent to pay some of the soldiers in this territory then engaged in quelling Indian outbreaks. The tree stood close to the famous Tuscarawas trail that ran from Fort Duquesne, Pittsburgh, to Marietta.

SPRING VALLEY

Miss Evelyn Armstrong of Chattanooga, Tenn., has been in town the past week selling a lecture course.

Mrs. James Laurans ran a straw in her left eye Wednesday and is suffering greatly.

The funeral of Josiah Elam was held at the late home Friday afternoon, conducted by Rev. H. O. Collins assisted by Rev. Walley.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Darnier, who have been spending the winter in Florida, are visiting his grandmother, Mrs. Eurnice Peterson.

Mr. Nathan White, of Kokomo, Ind., attended the funeral of Mr. Josiah Elam Friday and is visiting friends in this vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Mont Stump and daughters of near Harvesburg, were guests Wednesday of Mrs. Mattie Truman.

Mr. Daniel Stump left Saturday for a visit with his stepson near Columbus.

The Junior class of the High School entertained the senior class at the home of Willis Harner Friday evening.

STRIKES CLOSE MINES

Bellaire, O., May 7.—Approximately 1,000 miners of the Eastern Ohio sub-district includes a part of West Virginia, are idle due to strikes.

Scotland Yard Chief In America.



Sir William Harwood, K. C. B. D. S. O. Commissioner of Police, of the world-famous Scotland Yard, of London, has arrived in New York to participate in the International Police Convention.

EAST END NEWS

Mrs. Solie Buckner and sister, Mrs. Rosa Reed, who have been here with their uncle, Mr. William Tibbs since last fall are now the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chavers, of Mt. Sterling, Ohio.

Mrs. Celia Merritt, of North Columbus street, is among the sick this week.

Mr. Henry Roan and wife, of Middletown, Mr. Jasper Roan of Canton, were here to attend the funeral of their mother, Mrs. Martha Roan.

Rev. W. H. Moore and wife of Franklin, Ohio, were Friday guests of friends here. They also attended the funeral of Mrs. Roan.

Mrs. Mamie Games, East Market Street, is among the sick.

EAST HIGH NOTES

A large and appreciative audience greeted the pupils of Lincoln, East Junior and Senior High Schools, Thursday and Friday nights in the East High School auditorium.

The program was said to be the best series of entertainments ever presented by the schools. Much credit is due the pupils and teachers for the success of the entertainment.

The program opened Thursday night with an overture School orchestra, folk games by the first grade pupils. This number was followed by a playlet "The troubles of the Bad English Family,"—fourth grade. Folk games were played next by the second grade pupils.

Cooking demonstration was presented by the Domestic Science Department. Miss Nettie Ashbury demonstrating the making of bread; Miss Aileen Hudson, cake making; Miss Lois Raymond, salads. Playlet "The Coming of Spring" was next presented by the fifth grade. This number was followed by the Girls Physical Culture Class of East High School, who presented the Coming of Spring in a most unique way.

Friday night's program opened with a march, school orchestra followed by a trio minuet in G. (Beethoven) violin, saxophone and cornet Messers Holmes, Taylor and Tibbs. The third grade presented in games "The Ace of Diamonds, and mountain march." The sixth grade rendered a pageant "Americanization through the teaching of Geography." It was very attractive, well rendered and instructive. The Junior High Girls in the Highland Schottische pleased the audience to the extent that they were called back to repeat the number.

The playlet "Good English" was well presented by the Junior High boys and girls. The next attraction was a splendid drill by the Junior High boys which showed splendid training. The Physical Culture class repeated the splendid number "The Coming of Spring."

The atmospheric condition prevented William Niles, junior, from entertaining the audience with his Radio set that he had made.

The work done by the pupils was good in all departments. After each night's program the building was opened to the patrons and friends who took the opportunity of seeing through the new building, inspecting the exhibits and spending a social hour.

Fraternity Aids in School Drive

The XI chapter Alpha Pi Alpha fraternity of Wilberforce University rendered a splendid program to the pupils of the junior and senior High school Friday morning at 10:45 in the auditorium. This week is also known as "Go to High School—Go to College" week. In order to conduct a campaign for more and higher education the national organization of the fraternity is boosting the movement, which has the endorsement of various states and leading men all over the world. Splendid talks were given by the young men of the chapter, a musical program was rendered and personal work done among the High School students.

Efficient Housekeeping

TOMORROW'S MENU

Breakfast
Stewed Dried Peaches
Cereal
Boiled Eggs
Coffee
Toast
Luncheon
Kidney Bean Soup with
Wholewheat Croutons
Lettuce
Tea
Preserves

Dinner
Calf's Liver
Potatoes Steamed in Jacket
Boiled Beet Greens
Coffee
Raisin Pie

I am aware that many of my Housekeeper Readers make fancy work articles to sell through woman's exchanges in order to earn "pin money." So, for their sake, I make a practice of going around to the various fancy work stores, whenever I make a flying trip to a city which abounds in such shops, for the purpose of gleaming the "latest wrinkle" in fancy work ideas. Here are some new wringles which I ran across this week:

The New Pin Trays: This idea came from Paris. The tray itself is of glass, measuring about three inches across the top. Its shape is very low with curved sides, similar to the saucer of a small, after-dinner coffee cup. (Any kind of glass tray could be used.) The entire under side of the tray is covered with gold net, which lies tightly drawn across the bottom and is gathered around the rim of the tray so that it will cling to the sides. Of course the gold net shows through the glass when one looks down on the tray. Directly in the middle of the tray, on the bottom (lying between the gold net and the under side of the tray) is a tiny doiley of white linen with a butterfly or a flower embroidered on it; this decoration, showing through the glass, gives a very dainty effect.

The New Vases: These were simply the tall, slender white and tinted glass vases (such as one can buy at a five and ten-cent store) flaring at the top, but they were decorated by being covered with old-rose or old blue silk brocade at the bottom, extending half way up the height of the vase. Gold braid was run around the base where the brocade stopped (that is, at the extreme bottom and half way up.) In this way a case may be

made harmonize with a bedroom color scheme—for, of course, cretonne or any material or color, may be used in place of the pink or blue brocade silk.

Glass Basket Pin Cushions: Once more the popular tinted glassware was used for a bedroom article. The inside of the basket was stuffed with cotton (wool is better) and this stuffing covered with old-rose silk brocade; gold braid was run around the edges of the basket to cover the raw edges of the brocade. The under side of the glass basket was covered with the brocade under gold net, and finished at the extreme bottom with gold braid. The glass handle of the basket, was concealed with gold braid. Then pins with colored glass tops were stuck into the padded part in some pretty design as a finishing touch.

Tomorrow—Dishes in This Week's Menu

XENIA STUDENT TO HAVE CHARGE OF ART IN WESLEYAN ANNUAL

Kenneth Hudson, son of Mr. and Mrs. George E. Hudson, 315 West Market street, this city, who is a student at Ohio Wesleyan University, Delaware, will have complete charge of the art work in next year's Le Bijou, the year book published by the University.

Mr. Hudson was named for this position when the staff for the coming school year was picked last week. He is now studying in the School of Art at Wesleyan and is also taking liberal arts work, and is considered the best designer and illustrator in the university. Much of his work will be found in Le Bijou of this spring.

PLANS FOR MEMORIAL DAY TO BE DISCUSSED

Plans for the annual Memorial Day exercises will be made at a joint meeting of representatives of patriotic organizations in the G. A. R. Hall, Court House, next Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

The G. A. R. Memorial Committee is urging attendance of representatives from the G. A. R., W. R. C., American Legion, American Legion Auxiliary, Sons of Veterans, Daughters of Veterans and Daughters of the American Revolution.



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COME EARLY.

A PURITAN WIFE

By Jane Phelps

CHAPTER LXXVII

His careless nature wouldn't let Dick think Ann in earnest in her talk of leaving him—yes she never had talked like that before, in that queer voice. If she thought he was going to stand for Norton's love-making she was mistaken. After he had punished her enough, and she asked his forgiveness he might be friends again. His first anger had cooled. Down in his heart he did not believe Ann unfaithful. But he hadn't "got even" yet. She had not been punished enough for what she had let Norton do—kissing her hand like a lovesick fool, and telling her he loved her.

He'd see whose house it was! The idea of her daring to say Grace could not come in it while she was there. Cute, sympathetic Grace, whom she always had hated and misunderstood. He showed his independence—or thought he did—by calling Grace whenever he was in the house to meals, chatting with her over the phone, and not speaking to Ann save as it were necessary. She still did all the bookkeeping for the ranch, and the data he required could be learned only from her. Aside from matters of business, however, they held no conversation.

It was a heart-breaking situation for Ann. She had done all she could. It surely wasn't her duty to be humbled before Grace Edmunds further. To keep from thinking, from breaking down completely she was busy every moment. She helped Nora clean, she sewed, she played with little Jack, telling him stories that taxed her so that she had to keep her mind upon what she was saying. Not in vain, she had undertaken to equal Grace's flights of fancy to entertain the child, to wean him away from thoughts of

"Grace."

Bessie had told Ann that Grace's burns had healed so that wearing her clothes no longer distressed her. Sure that Dick also knew this, she awaited their next move nervously, but with no outward sign of her feeling. She had grown pale and thin, but took the greatest pains with her appearance, her hair, her clothes. The house never had been more neatly kept, the meals were all just as Dick liked them. Jack, dressed in the cunning suits she made him, was healthy and happy. When Dick spoke she answered pleasantly, even brightly, but she made no effort to really talk to him. The set of his lips, the way he left immediately after he had eaten led her to see plainly it would be useless.

He had gone to town, had come home partially intoxicated. She had said nothing, but had quietly gone to her room, leaving him undisturbed until he awakened from the sleep that always followed any indulgence. But she had been able to wean him from that habit, perhaps all that had happened might have been avoided. Grace had made light of it, had seemed to like him better when he had been drinking, treating that and his forgetfulness as a joke. Playing on the weak points in his character, flattering him—and he was like a child when flattered.

Her mother wrote her long, loving letters, advising her to be just and generous in her treatment of others, praising Dick, telling her how she and father had liked their son. By her silence, by protecting Dick she had lost the comfort of their sympathy. Aside from deploring her worldliness, they both liked Grace. Hugh was improving faster than the doctor expected. He stopped in one day and told Ann it was all owing to her nursing, the care he had received.

ceived. But though she was glad to hear Hugh was doing so well, the doctor's visit brought her little comfort. Dick would be sure to think Hugh had sent him.

Ann and Jack were in the dining room, Nora cleaning the porch, when Ann heard the unmistakable sounds of wrangling. She rose, opened the door through which she could see and hear. Nora stood in the doorway, her bare arms spread wide. Just in front of her was Grace Edmunds.

"You can't come in!" Nora said. "I can't! I'd like to know why, and what right have you to keep me out?" Grace tried to push by.

"I have my orders," Nora said, pushing Grace none too gently. "You! Why, you common servant! How dare you talk to me like this? I'll have you discharged at once."

"Oh, will you? Well, you can't come in this house."

Just then Dick appeared. Grace ran to him, her anger at white heat, her words tumbling over each other. "Stand out of the way, Nora. Come Grace." Dick took her arm, about to lead her into the house.

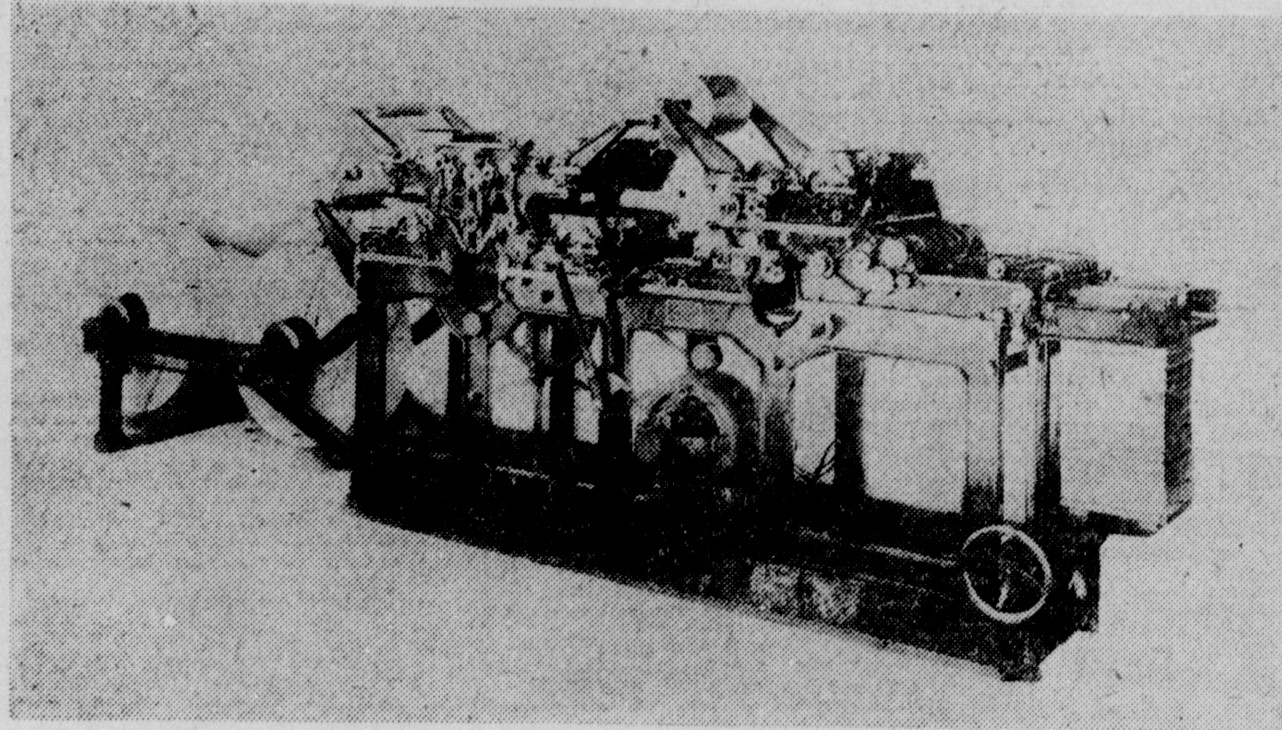
"Just a moment, Dick," Ann said, as she came out, holding Jack by the hand. "Come, Nora," and without a look or word further she walked down the pathway, followed by Nora, who had not hesitated one moment to follow her mistress.

To Be Continued

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Second—The new features that makes it possible for this press to do all this work in one operation are all patented and have been investigated by experts and found to be worth many thousands of dollars, including an investigation conducted by the State of Iowa.

Third—The printing industry is the sixth largest in the world and every printing establishment that expects to keep up with its competitors is a prospect for one of these presses.

Fourth—This Company will be the first in Xenia, that will be free of competition and can market its product on a royalty basis.

Fifth—Every Company in the country that is manufacturing a product and placing it on the market on royalties is getting some of the largest returns in the industrial field.

Sixth—Figuring the royalties on 100 presses at the lowest possible

figures will net this company \$600,000 per year. These figures are not guess work but are figures tabulated by people who know and we can convince you that they are very conservative. These figures do not include our manufacturing profit.

Seventh—This company will be principally owned and controlled by Greene County people, E. E. Strawn De Moines, Iowa, who spent fifteen years building this press is to receive stock in our company for this machine and has agreed to place his holdings in escrow until the State of Ohio is satisfied that all investors have a safe and sound investment.

Eighth—It will be necessary to make this new company move rapidly to have a working capital of \$100,000 Over one-half of this amount has been raised, the remainder has been underwritten and the sale of the stock guaranteed by these same investors. The remainder of this stock is for sale and at the rate it is going will all soon be taken. This is a real investment, possessing greater possibilities than any thing you have ever had a chance to invest in. Get in touch with us at once.

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